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Italians Ignore Challenge To Come Out and Fight

British Mediterranean Fleet Hunts In Vain as Enemy Hides in Port

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With the British Mediterranean Fleet, Nov. 15.

SAILING peacefully into Italian waters in the hope that the Italians would come out and fight, we failed to draw the enemy fleet out even after our planes had dealt a terrific blow against the main Italian war vessels at Taranto on Armistice night.

A few correspondents sailed with the British Fleet and though disappointed by the lack of a naval battle, they were thrilled with the daring attacks carried out by the British Fleet's air arm. The action and the events leading up to that sensational night can now be revealed by the correspondents for the first time.

The largest British armada seen in the Mediterranean since the outbreak of the war carried the fight right to Italy's shores, challenging the Italian Navy to emerge, on the night of November 11.

I was aboard a heavy cruiser with a great array of other vessels ranging from battleships and heavy cruisers to light cruisers.

Italians Attacked

We steamed into Italian waters, affording a screen while the fleet's air arm hovered overhead. Relays of bombers and torpedo-carrying planes attacked the Italian Fleet as we swung peacefully into their lair.

I saw planes close to Italian waters disappear over the Italian coastline Then they swept low from the stars and spread havoc and consternation in the Italian naval base of Taranto which was filled with hundreds of war vessels of all descriptions.

For days and nights we steamed to all corners of the Mediterranean, particularly the narrow waters approaching the Straits and around Pantellaria (island between Sicily and Tunisia), hoping to bait the Italians into leaving port.

Fleet Stands Ready

As there was no response, the British Fleet decided that the only chance of coming to grips with the Italians and fighting out a battle to a decision would be to deal a rousing blow at Taranto, where it was known that the main body of the Italian Fleet reposed.

The commanders of the British warships received notification that a mass air raid would be carried out on Taranto and immediately prepared for the emergence of the Italian Fleet and a major battle.

We steamed within sight of Greek islands with our speed increasing to 30 knots. All men were at their battle stations. The Fleet was ready for action and formed into special battle formation.

Warships On Every Side

Against the skyline, I saw big battleships boldly outlined. With a bright moon casting its light on the water, the heavy gun turrets loomed like floating fortresses above the shimmering sea.

On every side, as far as the eye could reach, warships raced ahead—at least for a distance of 25 miles there were warships.

The fleet was led by a dozen destroyers churning the ocean until it seemed to boil.

Like a ghostship our cruiser knifed through the turbulent disturbed waters. Hooded men moved silently around guns in the moonlight.

Italian Convoy Tackled

In the distance the thunder of heavy guns was audible as the force which had gone ahead into the Taranto Straits got down to the work of destroying an Italian convoy from Albania.

Simultaneously, the air was filled with radio S.O.S. messages from sinking Italian ships. Throughout the night our planes roared over the sea toward the Taranto base.

Finally, we heard that two of the British bombers were lost.

"Not Even a Plane"

Towards dawn the fleet began another sweep which lasted well into the afternoon, but not even an Italian plane was sighted although more than 40 ships offered a possible target for some skilful and courageous pilot.

Air "spotters" from the aircraft carrier Illustrious flew over Taranto in broad daylight and saw the smashed derelict ruins of a warship sunk and resting on the bottom of the sea, with waves lapping over the decks and funnels. They also saw other warships damaged by the bombs which British planes dropped during the night."—United Press.

Navy Proves Worth In Mediterranean

Taranto Success Creates Deep Impression Among Vichy Observers

Vichy. Nov. 15.

The British aero-naval victory over the Italian fleet anchored at Taranto materially changed the naval situation in the Mediterranean, where, in single action, Italy's claimed margin of superiority over the French fleet was greatly reduced, military observers believed here today.

Italy's temporary losses—temporary only in the event that the Italian battleship sunk can be raised again—were as great as the French post-Armistice losses during the British attack at Mers el Kebir and Dakar The class of Italian battleship which was sunk to its forward turrets was the same size and mounted the same armaments as the French battleship Richelieu, which was put out of action at Dakar by British torpedoes

The Cavour class of the Italian battleship grounded at Taranto is in the same category as the old French battleship Bretagne. which was set afire and overturned at Mers el Kebir under the British attack, it is stated here.

Strategic Advantage

Hence, a single British operation against the Italian fleet brought the French and Italian naval forces nearer to a balance in the Mediterranean, which was the whole aim in the past ten years of French naval building programmes.

French military critics last night concluded that Britain's strategic position in the Mediterranean had been greatly strengthened since the beginning of the Italian-Greek war, which gave the British the occasion to occupy and consolidate the island of Crete.

Crete's position strategically made it the most important island in the whole of the Mediterranean, because British battleplanes and warships, now based at Crete, were engaging Italian naval forces at close quarters.

Crete Useful

From Crete planes were daily flying over the southern half of the Adriatic, interfering with maritime liaison between Italy and its armies, and hunting down the Italian fleet in Italian bases.

Considerable importance was attached to the capture of Libreville by de Gaulle forces, which gave British troops in Egypt a new back door opening to the Atlantic, and made the town a convenient British supply base.

French military correspondents last night announced a new distribution of Italian troops on the Greek front to permit early offensives in three sectors: Epirea, Thessaly, and Macedonia. Italian troops, however, were said cut off in the mountains by the Greeks as a result of an attempt to reach the Zygos Pass. The Italians cut off were in this sector hard pressed, it was declared, despite the Italian effort to provide them with food and munitions dropped from planes. —United Press.

Italian Planes Downed

London, Nov. 15

Seven Italian aircraft were destroyed and two others damaged by aircraft of the Fleet Air Arm during the period November 8 to 13 apart from the crippling blow dealt to the Italian Fleet at Taranto, according to an Admiralty communique.—Reuter.

Britain Still B.S.T.

London. Nov. 13

Britain will maintain summer time throughout the winter, it has been announced.—Reuter.

R.A.F. Stages Furious Raid On Berlin

Nazis Admit Many Fires Started in Capital

London, Nov. 15.

Royal Air Force bombers droned over Germany last night and successfully dropped explosives on numerous military objectives in Berlin, the Air Ministry said today.

The R.A.F. made "a heavy and successful attack on objectives in Berlin," the communique declared. Targets elsewhere in Germany, as well as enemy-occupied aerodromes also were attacked, it added.—United Press.

Berlin Rocked

Berlin, Nov. 15.

With German anti-aircraft guns roaring continuously, British bombers last night and early this morning carried out one of the most intensive raids on the capital since the start of the war.

One apartment house was completely demolished by direct bomb hits. Fires were started in several areas.

Two British planes in crashing on Berlin caused a huge conflagration. Berliners received the impression that the raid was one of the most furious attacks that the capital thus far has experienced.

Throughout the early phase of the raid anti-aircraft batteries crashed and roared so continuously in the barrage that it was almost impossible to distinguish individual shots.

Toward the beginning of the attack a United Press correspondent in the west end of Berlin heard what sounded like small caliber bombs. He reported, however, that it was impossible to identify the areas where they fell.

Subways Congested

The whole sky was lighted for a lengthly period by the ceaseless bursting large calibre anti-aircraft shells and mutli-colored tracer-bullets.

Congestion again occurred in the subways, buses and street cars when theatre crowds were caught by the raid. The crowds all sought to rush home simultaneously the minute the all-clear signal was sounded.—United Press.

French Bases Suffer

Vichy, Nov. 15.

The British Air Force raided important French coastal bases four times in the last four nights, striking at submarine and plane bases established along the French coastline, French reports said here last night.

It is believed that the bases raided supplied German long-range submarines and planes, whose acivities recently have been enormously expanded.

New French coastal bases have been fully equipped by Germany for long range operations. Lorient is said to be the chief submarine base, while St. Malo and St. Brieux perform similar services for underseas craft.

Before the Armistice the French built one of their most important seaplane bases at the end of Deep Bay, behind Brest. Here the Germans have adapted the new air base with its five-mile-long runway. Formerly big French seaplanes of the Transatlantic type left for long cruises, often lasting more than twenty hours, to patrol Atlantic shipping lanes.

Seaplanes capable of cruising twenty-four hours can spend ten hours each way away from the base at Brest, operating on a radius of two thousand miles, which is half way across the Atlantic.

The British raids on the German-controlled air and submarine bases at Brest, St. Malo, and St. Brieux were directed at military objectives and not at the towns themselves, according to French reports.—United Press.

Widespread Raids

London, Nov. 15.

A heavy attack on Berlin and raids on 26 German-occupied aerodromes and harbours and shipping from Stavanger, in Norway, to Lorient, in Brittany, during Thursday night cost the R.A.F. 10 aircraft.

Good weather and a bright moonlight favoured the heavy attack on Berlin says the Air Ministry, which adds that high explosive bombs fell on and around Schlesischer railway station and goods yards and on railway yards at two other stations.

The Anhalter station in the centre of the city and Tempelhof aerodrome were also attacked and fires started. —Reuter.

150 German Planes Attack London

London, Nov. 15.

About 150 enemy planes endeavoured to attack London this morning and were met by strong forces of British fighters. Some of the raiders reached London, but others were chased back over the coast.—Reuter.

Societies Aid Seamen

London, Nov. 15.

Voluntary societies concerned with the welfare of seamen are assisting the Minister of Labour and the Seaman's Welfare Board which has been set up to advise him on problems affecting seamen. The societies have appointed a representative on a central consultative council to consider problems involved and arrange contact between the voluntary organizations and the Ministry of Labour.—Reuter.

Ford Ordered to Start Building Planes For United States Immediately

U.S.$122,323,000 Contract Placed with Company As Item in U. S. National Defence Programme

Washington, Nov. 15.

The War Department has announced award of a U.S. $122,323,000 contract to the Ford Motor Company for mass production of Pratt and Whitney aeroplane engines for army war planes.

The contract was the first national defence contract to be awarded the Ford organization and is one of the largest contracts of its kind yet made.

The award also marked entry of the last of the nation's great automobile manufacturers into mass production of U.S. armaments.

Although the number of engines to be contracted for was not disclosed reliable estimates said it would exceed 4,000, the number which Mr. Henry Ford last summer said he could build.

The War Department last September sent a letter of intention to the Company, and on this basis the Ford organization began constructing the necessary new facilities at Detroit in anticipation of a formal contract. Construction now has so advanced that actual manufacture of the engines can begin. Officials of the Ford Company were quoted as stating that the engines would be of air cooled radial design of from 1,600 to 1,700 horsepower. They will be the latest version of a type being used in the largest and fastest Army and Navy planes.

The War Department also announced the award of a contract of $11,436,000 for aeroplane engines to the Wright Corporation of Paterson, N.J., for both Army and Navy planes.

At the same time the Army announced that the first planes of a new and improved pursuit plane, the YP-43 manufactured by the Republic Aircraft Corporation of Farmingdale, Long Island, had been delivered to the Army Air Corps. It is an all metal, low wing, single fourteen cylinder engine, single seater monoplane and is described as a modification of an improvement on the Republic P-35, with which several squadrons of the GHQ air force are now equipped.—United Press.

While London Sleeps

The escalator in Oxford Circus underground station has stopped for the night, and has been occupied by weary Londoners who find somewhat uncomfortable bed on the stairs beneath the blazing lights.

Italian and German Army Leaders Hold Conference

Axis Military Talks Begin as Rumanian Premier Has Long Meeting with Mussolini in Rome

Berlin, Nov. 15.

GERMAN and Italian military leaders today opened military discussions at Innsbruck, Austria, authorized German quarters revealed this afternoon.

Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, Chief of the High Command of the German forces, accompanied by his staff, met Marshal Pietro Badoglio, Chief of the Italian High Command, and high Italian officers.—United Press.

R.A.F., Army to Be Coordinated

Mr. Eden Announces New Scheme of Cooperation Between Two Services

London, Nov. 15.

The War Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, announced last night a new scheme for closer cooperation between the British Army and Air Force. The new plan for closer coordination of the two fighting forces will become effective December 1, Mr. Eden said.

The plan was said to have been devised on the basis of Germany's spectacular sweep through the Low Countries which most observers attributed to close liaison between air and ground forces.—United Press.

Dutchmen Fight Nazis In Holland

Knuckle-Dusters Used to Lay Low Opponents

London, Nov. 15.

Serious street fighting in Amsterdam between Dutch and members of an armed Nazi organisation is reported by a correspondent of the "Vrij Nederland," a free Dutch newspaper published in London.

A Nazi Party office in the centre of Amsterdam was attacked and wrecked. There was some shooting. Dutch armed with knuckle-dusters, crowbars and hods laid low some of the Nazis. A number of the Dutch were seriously injured.

As a reprisal Nazis wrecked the home of the Secretary of the Netherlands Union.—Reuter.

Famous Buildings Hit

London, Nov. 15.

Westminster Hall built by William Rufus and the scene of many historic occasions, including the trial of Charles I, is one of a list of famous buildings issued by the Ministry of Information as damaged during the German Luftwaffe's attacks on what the Ministry quotes as the German official description of "military objectives."

Fourteen well-known hospitals and numerous famous churches are mentioned, including Westminster Abbey and three cathedrals—St. Paul's, Canterbury and Liverpool.

Also bearing the marks of the raiders' visits are the House of Lords, the British Museum.—Reuter.

Rome, Nov. 15.

An agreement in principle regarding Rumanian oil for Italy's war machine in Greece was believed reached during the Antonescu-Mussolini conferences yesterday.

General Jon Antonescu, Rumania's Premier and War Minister and Premier Benito Mussolini conferred for one hour and 25 minutes in the Venice palace.

General Antonescu, accompanied by M. Luca Sturdza, Rumanian Foreign Minister, were given a rousing reception on their arrival in Rome and they immediately got down to business after a luncheon with King Victor Emmanuel.

In addition to the reported oil agreement other economic accords were believed to have been drafted.

Some of them are expected to result in increased Rumanian agricultural and mineral production, especially production of copper and iron. —United Press.

Hitler-Molotov Meeting

Stockholm, Nov. 15.

Publication of the results of the visit of M. Viacheslav Molotov, Soviet Foreign Commissar, to Berlin will be withheld until a later date, according to Berlin correspondents of the Swedish press.

The correspondent of the "Dagens Nyheter" deduced that the satisfied air of M. Molotov indicated a general agreement had been reached and also that the Russian attitude towards Britain had been decided.

Russian circles in Berlin, said the correspondent, considered it was evident that Anglo-Russian collaboration was not likely, but they did not believe Russia was inclined to join the three-power pact in its present stage. —Reuter.

Divinity Students in U.S. Sent to Prison

One Year Terms Given for Refusal to Register

New York, Nov. 15.

Eight New York divinity students were sentenced to prison for a year and a day here yesterday for refusing to register for military conscription.

As the eight men were sentenced, their mothers, wives and sweethearts wept in the court room.

The eight men were taken to prison immediately after being sentenced. Later they will be transferred to a state penitentiary.

After the sentence was imposed, the judge gave the eight men one final opportunity to register for conscription, but they again refused.—United Press.

Col. Knox Promises More Aid To China in U.S. Defence Drive

Differences Between Totalitarian and Democratic Beliefs Declared to Be Irreconcilable

Boston, Nov. 15.

MORE U.S. aid to China was promised yesterday by Col. Frank Knox, the Secretary of the Navy, during a speech here when he out-lined a six point national defence programme.

Speaking extemporaneously at a conference here, Col. Knox said the United States must aid China as it is aiding Great Britain.

He warned that the differences between Democracy and Totalitarianism are irreconciliable and that war between the two must be fought to a finish.

"First," Col. Knox said outlining the programme, "we are going to aid Britain in every possible degree short of leaving ourselves defenceless and secondly we will have concern for the Chinese."

"I hope we soon will be able to aid China as we now are aiding Britain," Col. Knox said.

Pile Up Armament

"Thirdly, we will pile up armaments regardless of the cost," Col. Knox said. "It is better to be ready too soon with too much than too late and with not enough.

"Fourthly," the Navy Secretary said, "we won't appease anybody on earth.

"Fifthly," he said, "we won't talk about what we are going to do but we will do it.

"Sixthly, we are going to harden our muscles and our will because self preservation is possible only by self sacrifice," Col. Knox said.

The need of national unity is greater today than ever before, Col. Knox said.

The presidential election, he said, proved that Americans can not be intimidated from without.

The next five years are going to test the endurance of the United States, Col. Knox said, explaining that "business profits will be secondary and national security will be paramount." United Press.

Moscow Denies Pact With Japan

Moscow, Nov. 15.

The Government today officially denied foreign reports that Russia had concluded an agreement with Japan outlining their respective spheres of influence in the Far East and that Russia had agreed to halt its assistance to Chungking.

The denial was issued in a communique by Tass, official news agency.—United Press.

Nazis Savagely Attack Coventry

Nearly 1,000 Casualties Feared Caused as Result Of Intensive Raid

London, Nov. 15.

Extensive damage and nearly 1,000 casualties were feared to have been caused when German aircraft subjected the town of Coventry to a attack last night.

The severity of the raid, according to the Ministry of Home Security, was comparable with the worst of the night attacks on London.

The German machines were heavily engaged by intensive anti-aircraft fire, which caused them to keep at a great height and hindered accurate bombing of industrial targets.

It is learned that at least two raiders were shot down during the attack.

40 Raiders Attack

The attack was carried out by at least 40 German planes, which came over in waves from dusk to dawn.

There will be many stories of heroism when it is possible to collect them, states an official report of the raid.

Casualties included members of the civil defence, fire and police services, who are known to have lost their lives while on duty.

Among the places damaged was the operating theatre of a hospital. An isolation hospital was hit and some casualties caused in one ward.

Other places damaged included two churches, public baths, two clubs, a school, an hotel, four public shelters, cinemas, a police station, a post office and two first-raid posts.—Reuter.

Midlands Raided

London, Nov. 15.

Enemy raiders centred a devastating attack on the Midlands last night, and intermittent raiders bombed London residential sections, the Air Ministry communique said today.

"There was a heavy attack on one Midland town which caused many fires and considerable damage," the communique declared. "Full reports are not yet available but it is feared that casualties were heavy."

The Air Ministry said that in the London area bombs were dropped by intermittent raiders and that "houses and other buildings were destroyed and some people were killed and injured."

Bombs also were dropped on a number of widely separated districts in England and Wales, where some houses were damaged but causualties were few, the communique added.

The all-clear in the London area came at 1.10 a.m. today.

Hospital Hit

Doctors, nurses and porters last night aided searchers as they dug through a mountain of brick, rubble and fallen masonry searching for an undisclosed number of bed-ridden patients trapped in the wreckage of a block-long London hospital.

Heaviest activity in the night raid on London came before midnight Afterwards, enemy operations were confined mainly to lone nuisance raiders crossing the capital at a great height and evoking only desultory aircraft fire.—United Press.

Anglo-German Gun Duel

London, Nov. 15.

Inhabitants of Channel ports were roused from their beds early this morning by the thunder of a duel between British and German long-range guns.

The shelling, which lasted two hours, was begun by the German guns, which fired several rounds several hours before daybreak, but no casualties were reported.

Later in the morning British guns opened up on German gun positions. and the latter subsequently came into action again.—Reuter.

Men 36 To Register

London, Nov. 15.

Men of 36 will register for service tomorrow, it is announced. This class will include a great many men who already are doing work of national importance and will not be eligible to join the fighting services.—Reuter

Greeks Said Advancing Along All Fronts

Infantry, Artillery and Planes Reported Active; Three Local Italian Attacks Claimed Repulsed; Many Prisoners Taken

Athens, Nov. 15.

GREAT activity by infantry, artillery and aviation on the whole Italo-Greek front is reported in a Greek High Command communique. This news follows earlier reports that a series of Greek counter-attacks last night resulted in a general advance on all three sectors of the front. Three local Italian attacks were repulsed.

During aerial battles yesterday and last night 11 Italians planes were brought down and another ten damaged beyond repair.

Greek forces took more than 200 prisoners yesterday and captured all kinds of war material.

The Greek air force is reported to have bombarded aerodromes at Koritsa and Argyrokastron. destroying Italian machines which were on the ground. Italian columns on the march were also bombed. One Greek machine did not return to its base, according to the High Command communique.

Italian aircraft yesterday bombed several inland Greek towns at random, some hospitals being among the buildings hit, Larissa, in eastern Greece, suffered badly. many casualties being caused by Italian bombers.

Corinth Encircled

Greek mountain troops working their way round Corinth, Italian base in the northern sector, are stated to have practically encircled the town. Only a small gap in the north-west remains to be closed.

In the southern sector the Greeks have crossed the Kalamas River pushing back Italians towards the Albanian frontier. More successes are reported in the central (Pindus) sector, where the Greek Army is now back in positions held on the first day of the war.

Mopping-up of remnants of the Italian Third Alpine Division routed in the Pindus Mountains last week, is now almst completed.—Reuter.

Greeks Advance

Sofia, Nov. 15.

Greek troops, in the past 48 hours, have broken through Italian defences along the sea coast and still are advancing, said a radio report from Athens intercepted here yesterday.

Simultaneously Greek troops continued successes in the mountain regions, radio reports said.

"Everywhere the initiative is in our and British hands," the announcement said.

British and Greek aerial attacks on the Italian bases of Taranto, Valona and other important places were seriously hampering Italian efforts to send fresh troops and munitions to Albania and beleaguered Italian forces, the announcement said.—United Press.

Greeks Drive on

Budapest, Nov. 15.

Greek focres on the Pindus front continued to batter the rear of fleeing Italian forces yesterday and crossed the frontier into Albania where important positions were occupied, the Greek Radio announced last night.

All important frontier points now are in Greek hands and the Italians are still retreating, the radio announcement said.

The Greek announcement called the victory on the Pindus front one of the most important of the Italo-Greek war. The victory was said to have halted the Italian invasion of Greece at its roots.—United Press.

Nineteen German Planes Destroyed

London, Nov. 15.

Nineteen German aircraft were destroyed during attacks on Britain yesterday, an Air Ministry communique states. Thirteen dive bombers and one fighter were destroyed off the south-east coast of England yesterday before they could drop any bombs.

A single heavy bomber which crossed the coast in the morning was immediately shot down. It is also confirmed that two enemy bombers were destroyed on Wednesday night. Two British fighter planes were lost but the pilots of both are safe.—Reuter.

First Anglo-U.S. Base

New York, Nov. 15.

The first naval and air base constructed for the United States in the Indies under the agreement with Great Britain will be at Castries, A Saint Luica, according to a Porto Rico dispatch to the "New York Times."

It is stated preliminary work will be pushed ahead, owing to the proximity to the French colony of Martinique.—Relter.

British Newsman Sees Allies Win

Greek Artillery Declared Handling Action Against Italians Excellently

London, Nov. 15.

Mr. John Segru, correspondent of the "London News Chronicle," reported today from his vantage point on the shores of Lake Prespa at the Greek-Yugoslav-Albanian border that British heavy guns had reached the front several days ago.

He said that Greek artillery was now deftly handling the action against the Italian forces.

Mr. Segru added that terrific explosions were heard from behind Koritza in southeastern Albania Thursday and he assumed that British bombers had blown up vast ammunition dumps.

"Allied aircraft have driven Italians out of this town, although a strong force was quartered there a few days back," he said.

He quoted Italian prisoners as saying that Marshal Pietro Badoglio, Supreme Commander of Italian forces, had flown to Albania last week.—United Press.

Rumania Said Made Virtual Nazi State

Independent Sovereignty Declared Granted Germans

Belgrade, Nov. 15.

Measures granting what amounts to independent sovereignty for Germans of Rumanian nationality was contained in a remarkable five-point decree issued in Bucharest yesterday.

The measures include.

1. The introduction of the Nuremberg anti-Jewish laws.

2. Equal status for the German flag with the Rumanian flag as a symbol of the creed of the German nation just as the Rumanian flag is the symbol of the creed of the Rumanian state.

3. The Nazi Party is to be a protected juridical body.

4. Membership to the Party is to be limited to those who are German conscious and are recognised by the leadership.

5. The leadership is to be authorized to issue regulations concerning German autonomy rights under the approval of the Rumanian Government.—Reuter.

Negrin Said Asked to Leave England

Question on Subject in House of Commons

London, Nov. 15.

Sr. Juan Negrin, former premier of Spain, who sought refuge in England after the Spanish civil war, has been asked to leave the country, it was learned here yesterday.

The revelation came in a question scheduled to be asked in the House of Commons of Mr. Richard Butler, the Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by a member of the House.

"Why has intimation been made that Sr. Negrin, who is presently enjoying the right of asylum in this country, been asked to leave the country," said the written question, scheduled for presentation in the House.—United Press.

Free Frenchwomen To Form Corps In Britain

London, Nov. 15.

French women in Britain are to form a special corps to help free Frenchmen. It is to be equivalent to the British women's auxiliary services and the numbers will principally act as cooks, clerks, typists and chauffeurs relieving men of the free French forces for active service. —Reuter.

Britain Thought Likely to Strengthen Pacific Fleet as Result of Taranto

Balance of Power in Mediterranean Stated by Premier as Decisively Affected by Action

Washington, Nov. 15.

Military circles believed today that one important effect of Britain's successful air blow at Taranto would enable London to strengthen considerably its naval air arm in the Pacific.

Experts recalled that Mr. Winston Churchill, British Prime Minister, in claiming success at Taranto, asserted that the action decisively affected the balance of power in the Mediterranean and "carries with it a reaction on the entire naval situation in every corner of the globe."

Informed sources believed that Mr. Churchill unquestionably had the Pacific prominently in mind. It was regarded highly significant that almost simultaneously Air Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham was named commander-in-chief of the British Far East forces.

Informed sources believed that the appointment was a direct result of Japan's latest move. According to reports from Shanghai, the Japanese were mobilizing large forces supposedly for a southward push. It was widely believed that a thrust might be attempted against the Netherlands East Indies.

Experts believed that Japan would aim first at capturing or neutralizing Britain's great Singapore base if a thrust were contemplated.

One uncertain factor was the outcome of conferences between Chancellor Adolf Hitler and M. Vyacheslav Molotov, Russian Foreign Commissar. in Berlin. Informed sources said that if the Soviets agreed to some sort of cooperation with Germany, Italy and Japan, the latter might be able to divert some forces to the detriment of the Allies and China.—United Press.

Heroism of Young Pilot Wins V.C.

Nicholson Downs Enemy After Being Wounded in Burning Plane

London, Nov. 15.

The award of the first Victoria Cross to a fighter pilot during the present war was announced yesterday. It was his first flight and though he was twice wounded and his plane was afire he would not bail out of his burning plane before he had shot down an attacking Messerschmitt.

He is Flight-Lieutenant James Nicholson. For 48 hours doctors fought for his life after his exploit; he was now almost completely recovered.

The thrilling details of his fight are given by the Air Ministry news service: after chasing a Junkers plane he had turned to rejoin his squadron when four cannon shells from a Messerschmitt hit his plane. One sent splinters into his left eye, another exploded his spare petrol tank, setting the machine afire, and a third wounded his feet.

As Nicholson turned to avoid further shots he found the Messerschmitt was right on his gun sight. Both planes were diving at 400 miles per hour. When Nicholson pressed the gun button he could see his right thumb blistering in the heat and his left hand which was holding the throttle of the plane, was also blistering in the flames. The heat was so great he had to put his hat on his seat beneath his parachute.

German Craft Crashes

The fight continued for several minutes until the Messerschmitt disappeared in a steep dive. Later witnesses reported they had seen it crash in the sea.

Nicholson, after knocking his head on the hood above him plunged out of his burning plane headfirst. After several somersaults in the air he pulled the rip cord with considerable difficulty. It took him 20 minutes to reach the ground.

On the way down another Messerschmitt came screaming past so Nicholson pretended he was dead. As he was nearing the ground he thought he would hit some high tension wires but he was able to avoid them and landed in a field.

Nicholson, who was born in 1917, is married and is now about to join his wife and baby for three weeks leave during his convalescence.—Reuter.

Reception Cancelled By Mrs. Roosevelt

Instruction Said Given to Avoid Embarrassment

Washington, Nov. 15.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, the wife of the President, on Tuesday announced that the annual diplomatic reception at the White House would not be held this year.

At her regular press conference Mrs. Roosevelt said the reception would not be held "because of war conditions in Europe and the feeling that it would be embarrassing for members of the Diplomatic corps here."

The reception previously was considered the opening event of Washington's winter social calendar. Mrs. Roosevelt also announced the annual diplomatic dinner, which was omitted last year, would be omitted again this year.

Cancellation was caused by the "heavy press of work" and the curtailed programme of entertainment for governmental official groups.—United Press.

Transfer of Martinique Demanded by Press

New York, Nov. 15.

A demand that Martinique, Vichy-controlled island in the West Indies, should be taken over immediately by the American Republics under the Havana Agreement is made by two New York newspapers.

"Our interests command that action at once in Martinique should be taken by the free nations of the Americas, divested of the men of Vichy, and then given its freedom under its own government with Pan-American protection," declares the "New York Post," adding: "Let us create one free nation as a reply to the Nazi record of obliterating free nations."

The "Daily News" says the time has come to "quit fooling and simply take over Martinique."

"Let us grab this potential dagger pointing towards the Panama Canal before it is sharpened into a real dagger," it adds.—Reuter.

More of "Annihilated" Convoy Ships Safe

London, Nov 15.

Two more ships of the convoy which the Germans claim to have annihilated are now known to be safe, it is officially announced.

Thus, of the 38 ships in the convoy, 32 are now definitely known to have reached safety, four sunk by the raider, one unaccounted for, and one abandoned after having been set on fire by aircraft.—Reuter.

Girl Guide Robbed

A second girl guide to be robbed in the past fortnight was lured by four Chinese including a woman to room 250 in the Wei Tsoong Hotel, 515 Hankow Road, last night, where she was bound and gagged and robbed of two gold rings, an overcoat and $10 in cash.

Baden Powell Ill

Nairobi, Nov. 15.

Doctors are anxiously watching the condition of Lord Baden Powell, who is suffering from recurring heart attacks. Lord Baden Powell, who is 83 years of age, founded the Boy Scout movement in 1908.—Reuter.

King Leopold's Name Day

On the occasion of the name day of King Leopold of Belgium, H. E. Baron J. Guillaume, the Belgian Ambassador to China, was host at a reception given to the Belgian community at the Belgian embassy at 12.30 p.m. yesterday.

Japanese Envoy to U.S. Selected

FROM PERCY WHITING
N.C.D.N. Special Correspondent in Japan

Tokyo, Nov. 15.

Mr. Y. Suma, Japanese Foreign Office spokesman, stated that selection has been made to fill the post of Japanese ambassador to Washington. He declined to reveal, however, the name of Japan's choice until American acceptance has been received.

Early Recognition of Nanking Urged

Tokyo Press Continues Its Clamour to End China War

Tokyo, Nov. 15.

The Tokyo "Nichi-Nichi," one of the "Big Three" metropolitan dailies, today joined the Tokyo "Asahi" and "Yomiuri" newspapers in advocating the early recognition of the National Government at Nanking of which Mr. Wang Ching-wei is acting President. It was recalled that the "Asahi" and "Yomiuri" recently adopted the same view regarding relations between Tokyo and Nanking.

"The earlier the recognition of Mr. Wang Ching-wei's administration takes place, the earlier will it clarify the situation and haster the disposal of the China conflict, the "Nichi-Nichi" declared today.

The paper deplored the circulation throughout Japan of various unfounded rumours which "domestically dulled the force of the basic policy for the settlement of the Sino-Japanese hostilities and imparted a favourable influence on the development and strengthening of the Wang administration."

It was added by the "Nichi-Nichi" that the new situation created by the conclusion of the three-Power mutual assistance pact between Germany, Japan and Italy, at Berlin on September 27 did not cause a change in Japan's basic policy for the termination of the Chinese conflict which fundamentally was guided by the Konoye statement of December 22, 1938.

The paper stressed that the general peace in China desired by the Wang Ching-wei government could be achieved only by a struggle to the bitter end.

Recalling that the agreement defining the basic relations between Tokyo and Nanking already had been achieved, the "Nichi-Nichi" declared that the signing of the agreement and the recognition of the Wang administration was the "fixed course which would clarify and strengthen the policy for the termination of the China conflict and would thwart any plots by third parties."—Domei.

Hitler Speaks to German Workers

Importance of Labour In Factories Stressed

Berlin, Nov. 15.

German workers as well as soldiers are carrying the Reich to victory in the European conflict, Chancellor Hitler said yesterday.

The Fuehrer made a brief address in front of the Reichs Chancellory to armament front workers and representatives of women workers throughout Germany.

This war is not being carried out only only by soldiers, Chancellor Hitler said, "but equally as decisively by a giganic army of millions of workers in Germany's factories and Germany's arms industries.

"Workers who gave German soldiers the best weapons in the world decisively have helped so that the great German success could be achieved with such a restricted sacrifice of blood," Chancellor Hitler said.

"With this united labour front Germany will hold out through the war and after the victory will develop a German social state to be the most exemplary in the world," the Fuehrer said.

Chancellor Hitler addressed 85 armament front workers who were awarded the war service cross as well as 40 women workers from various parts of the Reich.—United Press.

Head of French Mission To Japan Named

Party Leaving France for Tokyo This Week

Vichy, Nov. 15.

M. Rene Robin, former Governor of French Indo-China, yesterday was named head of a trade mission to Tokyo to negotiate a Japan-Indo-China economic pact.

The negotiations will be the second phase of the August 30 accord between France and Japan regarding Japan's aspirations in French Indo-China.

M. Robin will leave this week, accompanied by six experts. They hope to reach Tokyo in mid-December where they will be joined by 30 delegates from Indo-China for talks which may last three months.

Negotiations will be conducted with the Japanese economic mission now in Hanoi, headed by M. Hajime Matsumiya, special Japanese envoy to the French colony. The Japanese mission there is now arranging a *modus vivendi* between French Indo-China and Japan, said reports here.—United Press.

U.S. Navy Plane Crashes Near Honolulu

Honolulu, Nov. 15.

A navy bombing plane from the U.S.S. Yorktown crashed into a sugar cane field about 20 miles from Honolulu, killing both occupants, naval officials announced yesterday.

Victims of the crash were Lieutenant (Junior Grade) Thomas D. Cummins, 27, the son of Brigadier General Joseph Cummins of the U.S. Army, and Aviation Chief Machinist's Mate L. D. Staniewski.

The plane went into a spin while flying at an altitude of 4,000 feet and crashed into the field, navy authorities said.—United Press.

Hoare, Lothian to Confer in Lisbon

British Envoy to U.S. Will Be Told Results Of Spanish Talks

Lisbon, Nov. 15.

Lord Lothian, the British Ambassador to Washington, yesterday was expected to arrive here en route to Washington.

Lord Lothian was to confer here with Sir Samuel Hoare, British Ambassador to Madrid.

Sir. Samuel, it was understood, would acquaint Lord Lothian with results of recent talks Sir Samuel had with General Francisco Franco and Sr. Serrano Suner, Spanish Foreign Minister.

The talks will enable Lord Lothian to advise Washington concerning latest events in Spain.

Sir Samuel also would take cognizance of latest instructions from the British Foreign Office as conveyed by Lord Lothian, it was understood. —United Press.

Col. Stimson Denies Any Intention to Resign

War Secretary to Start Inspection Tour Soon

Washington, Nov. 15.

The Secretary of War Col. Henry Stimson, yesterday flatly denied reports that he was planning to resign from President Roosevelt's Cabinet.

Col. Stimson added that as far as he was aware, "nobody else has any plans for making me quit."

The War Secretary made his statement in response to questions brought up by newspaper correspondents during Col. Stimson's press conference.

Some reports had said earlier that the Mayor of New York, Mr. Fiorello H. LaGuardia, was to succeed Col. Stimson as War Secretary.

Col. Stimson said he planned to start an inspection tour of Army construction projects in the south within a few days.

Although there seemed to be no positive evidence of sabotage in the Woodbridge and Edinburgh explosions "the peculiar regularity of the detonations suggests Teutonic efficiency the Secretary of War, Colonel Henry Stimson, said here yesterday after examining preliminary reports of the disasters.

Col. Stimson also stated that about 30,000 recruits will be called up for service between November 19, and December 1, depending upon the individual Corps Area commanders requisitions for men.

Col. Stimson said the first contingent of future soldiers would be inducted into the Army next Tuesday.

The Woodbridge, New Jersey, explosion occurred at the United Railway Signal plant on November 13, killing an estimated fifteen persons and wounding thirty-eight others. The Woodbridge chief of police stated that though there was no proof at the time, he believed the disaster to be the result of organized sabotage.

On the same day an explosion of undiscovered origin blew three men to bits in the Burton Explosives Division of the American Dynamite and Chemical Corporation at Edinburgh, Pennsylvania. The plant had no Government orders in production. —United Press.

Bernheims Murdered by Group of Bandits

Tragic Details of Slaying Revealed in Kunming

Kunming, Nov. 15.

Bandits were responsible for the murder of the American missionaries, Mr. Alfred Max Bernheim and his wife, and one of their six children, David, at Changyi, near Kutsing a village on the Yunnan-Kweichow border, on November 5, it is now revealed.

Some 50 bandits entered the mission compound that night and began shooting through the windows of Mr. Bernheim's home. The first shots killed Mrs. Bernheim, and when her son David rushed into the room and opened the window, a bullet spattered his brains about the room. Mr. Bernheim was fatally wounded when he rushed into the room after his son.

After this gunplay, the bandits entered the house and ransacked it, remaining in the premises for about an hour. One other child, wounded during the shooting, is expected to live. The remaining four children, who were sleeping in a room adjoining the tragic scene of their parents' murder, were unharmed.

Troops have been sent to pursue the bandits. The provincial and local authorities are co-operating following a request from the United States Consular authorities to make every effort to apprehend the slayers.

Poland's Aspiration Told by Sikorski

More Than Mere Recovery Of Country Wanted

London, Nov. 14.

A Polish brigade stands alongside the British in the Middle East ready to fight all who declare that Poland has been liquidated, declared Gen. Sikorski, Polish Premier and Commander-in-Chief, at a luncheon at Grosvenor House in honour of Poland.

The peace which will conclude the war, he said, must not be a peace of vengeance but an act of justice excluding armed conflicts between nations for many generations.

"We Poles," General Sikorski added, "are not only fighting to get back our country: we have wider aspirations of which we have already given definite proof by a comprehensive understanding with Czechoslovakia, thus beginning a real federation of European Powers."—Reuter.

New C-in-C. Tours East

Rangoon, Nov. 15.

Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, new Commander-in-Chief of the Far East, who arrived at Singapore to assume his post yesterday, was recently the guest of the Governor of Burma in the course of his journey out.

He has already visited Malaya, Iraq and India.—Reuter.

Nazi Troops Move Out of Finland

Stockholm, Nov. 15.

German soldiers began leaving Finland four days ago, it was learned here yesterday.

Repatriation of approximately 5,000 German soldiers was thought to have been completed by last night, reliable sources said.—United Press.

Indo-China Wants to Keep Good Relations

Decoux Eager to Avoid Estrangement with U.S.

Hanoi, Nov. 14.

The problem of future relations between French Indo-China and Britain and America was "extremely delicate," said Vice-Admiral Jean Decoux, Governor-General of French Indo-China, in an interview he gave yesterday according to a Japanese report.

"French Indo-China has been maintaining close and cordial relations with Britain and America until now. I believe it to be against the interests of France to break off these profitable relations. I intend to follow a policy by which we will be able to remain at peace with Britain and America provided the European war does not spread to the Far East," he asserted.

Vice-Admiral Decoux admitted that economic and political relations between Hanoi and Chungking had been broken off. However, he pointed out France had interests—such as the railway in Yunnan—which geographically were contiguous to Tonkin.

"I hope these interests will be restored to our control as soon as possible," he added.

Referring to Chinese emigrants in French Indo-China, Vice-Admiral Decoux said he did not see any reason to interfere with their peaceful pursuits. He stated: "Unless they participate in political plots I do not think we need change our policy towards them."

Vice-Admiral Decoux admitted that in view of the interruption of sea traffic between French Indo-China and France it was necessary to establish wide and profound economic relations with various nations in the Far East, particularly Japan.

Regarding the economic negotiations now going on at Hanoi between Mr. Hajime Matsuo Matsumiya, Japanese special envoy, and French Indo-China authorities, Vice-Admiral Decoux said: "It is best to carry on the parley, which is patiently narrowing our differences in viewpoint gradually."—Reuter.

Huge U.S. Bridge To Be Replaced

Reconstruction Ordered To Begin Immediately

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 15.

The US$6,400,000 Tacoma Narrows bridge which collapsed recently will be rebuilt, Governor Clarence D. Martin announced recently.

Rebuilding of the bridge, the third largest single suspension bridge in the world, would begin immediately, Governor Martin said.

The huge bridge was completed last July, principally as a national defence measure, to connect Seattle and Tacoma with the Puget Sound Navy Yard at Bremerton.

The bridge collapsed in a wind estimated at 42 miles an hour velocity. A University of Washington engineering professor said peculiar topography at the bridge site created a kind of wind tunnel which virtually doubled normal wind velocity.

Two vehicles were on the huge span when it collapsed. A newspaperman was driving an automobile across it and a truck driver was drawing a huge logging truck across when the structure began cracking.

Abandoning their vehicles, the two men fought their way along the wildy pitching span to safety. The truck and the automobile plunged into Puget Sound, 109 feet below.—United Press.

Mr. Bullitt Asked to Retain Position

Resignation Not Accepted By President

New York, Nov. 15.

President Roosevelt has declined to accept the resignation of Mr. William C. Bullitt as United States Ambassador to France.

In an announcement yesterday Mr. Bullitt says that he submitted his resignation on November 7, but the President intimated that he wished him to remain in office.

Earlier yesterday it was reported that Mr. Bullitt might be offered the post of Ambassador in London in succession to Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy whose interview in Boston in which he was reported to have said that "democracy in Britain is dead" and which has been condemned, is considered to have destroyed his official usefulness.

Mr. Joseph P. Kennedy himself is not anxious to return to London.—Reuter.

Rhodesia To Supply Pilots

Salisbury, S. Rh., Nov. 15.

Southern Rhodesia will supply 1,800 pilots, 240 air observers and 340 air gunners yearly when the local section of the empire air training programme comes into full operation in the middle of next year, it is officially revealed here. The Government of Southern Rhodesia is contributing £800,000 yearly towards the cost of feeding, clothing and paying the men. —Reuter.

Lord Lothian in Lisbon

Lisbon, Nov. 15.

Lord Lothian, British Ambassador to the United States, arrived from London today and conferred with Sir Samuel Hoare, British Ambassador to Spain, and Sir Walford Selby, British Ambassador to Lisbon.

It was understood that Sir Samuel discussed with Lord Lothian British foreign activities with respect to Spain, Morocco and Tangier, in order that the latter might inform Washington in detail.—United Press.

Taranto Victory Impresses China

British Feat of Arms Seen Affecting Course of War, International Events

Chungking, Nov. 15.

Two news items are occupying Chinese attention at present; the British naval victory in the Mediterranean and the visit of M. Molotov, Soviet Foreign Commissar, to Berlin.

It is believed that the heavy blow to the Italian Navy not only will affect the course of military operations in the Mediterranean but may influence international developments.

Regarding M. Molotov's visit to Berlin, Chinese hesitate to accept current reports of subjects alleged to have been discussed between Herr Hitler and the Soviet Foreign Commissar, and prefer to await official information or subsequent developments.

A special article published in this morning's "Central Daily News" says it is not likely that there will be a major naval battle in the Pacific between the United States and Japan. The article claims that major operations in the Pacific will require tremendous preparation involving the concentration of transports, supplies, troops, aircraft and warships, as well as ground preparations.

Unless Japan succeeds in concluding a non-aggression pact with Soviet Russia, the writer says, Japan will not dare move southward. He says it is unnecessary for the United States to attack Japan and believes the United States will resort to a blockade.

Chinese circles interpret Britain's creation of a Far East Commander-in-Chief office as showing Britain's determination to resist Japanese southward expansion.—Reuter.

Miura Arrives in Mexico

Mexico City, Nov. 14.

Mr. Yoshiaki Miura, newly-appointed Japanese Minister to Mexico, and one-time Japanese Consul-General at Shanghai, arrived here today to assume his new post.—Domei.

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Funds Sought to Build Mosque in London

Centre of Islamic Culture In England Said Needed

London, Nov. 15.

An appeal to Moslems all over the world to subscribe generously towards the realisation of "this great and noble project" was broadcast last night by the Egyptian Ambassador to Great Britain on behalf of the proposed new mosque and Islamic cultural centre for which the British Government has presented a site in London. It is estimated the building will cost about £580,000.

The speaker said that despite the great size of London a large number of the Moslem residents there had nowhere where they could keep in touch with Islamic culture, a deficiency which was particularly felt by students at the British universities.

A committee was formed and efforts, strongly backed by Lord Halifax, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and Lord Lloyd, Secretary of State for Colonies, resulted in the British Government deciding to present a site sanctioning the expenditure of £100,000 for the purpose.—Reuter.

French Deny Fleet Sent to Indo-China

Vichy, Nov. 15.

The Admiralty yesterday emphatically denied a rumour that the French Mediterranean Fleet sailed to Indo-China after Thailand had delivered an ultimatum to Hanoi.

The Admiralty said the report did not have the slightest foundation and termed it "perfectly absurd." — United Press.

Another Unit from Convoy Home Safely

Jervis Bay Now Reported Supported in Action

London, Nov. 15.

Another vessel of the Jervis Bay convoy has reached port safely, bringing to 31 the number of ships which escaped a German surface raider, it was revealed here last night.

The 8,120 ton tanker Delphinula was the latest vessel to reach port. Only seven ships of 38 in the convoy are now unaccounted for, said the announcement.

In addition to the gallant fight put up by the armed merchantman, Jervis Bay, which enabled other ships in the convoy to scatter and escape, another British ship also joined the battle, it was revealed.

Captain Dutton, of the Delphinula, said an unidentified ship of the convoy also engaged the raider. The crew of the unidentified ship manned their guns until the ship sank in flames, Captain Dutton said.—United Press.

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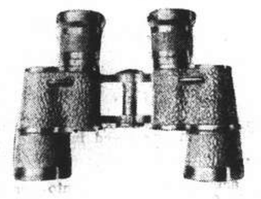

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Most Important Witness in Mayer Case Disappears

Prosecution Announces That Mr. C. S. Chen Believed Arrested by Japanese

TWO important developments resulted from yesterday's hearing of the trial of Mr. Rudolph W. Mayer on charges of fraud, when it was revealed that the key witness of the prosecution, Mr. C. S. Chen had disappeared, it being stated by the District Attorney, Mr. Charles Richardson, Junior, that he understood his witness to have been arrested by the Japanese authorities a few days ago. The other development was the testimony of Mr. L. M. Shapitric, who alleged that he had been told by the defendant that Mr. Chen had been paid $300 not to appear in court to give evidence. This witness denied that when Mayer disappeared shortly before the warrant for his arrest was issued he was hiding in Mr. Shapitric's house on Avenue Edward VII.

Yesterday's hearing went on all day before Judge Milton J. Helmick, and was finally adjourned until this morning after a motion, proposed by Mr. Richardson, that the case be treated *prima facie*, after the testimony of the prosecution had been heard, was overruled by the Judge. Mr. C. S. Franklin and Mr. Myron Wiener represented the defendant.

Proceedings opened when Mr. Richardson read out the two counts on which Mayer is being tried. These declared that Rudolph Mayer had defrauded Mr. Marcel Heimendinger, a French subject, of $10,000. It was stated that the defendant told Mr. Heimendinger that he had chartered the ss. Ave Maria from the Continental Steamship Company for the sum of $20,000, and had offered Mr. Heimendinger 20 per cent. of the profits of the operation of the vessel for $10,000. It was alleged that Mayer had never paid $20,000 for the ship, and had never chartered it. "The prosecution intends to prove," said Mr. Richardson, "that he at no time had the charter of the ship, the ss. Ave Maria, and did not pay anything. Mr. Heimendinger actually paid $10,000 to him, and executed a written document."

Agreement Drawn Up

The first witness called by the prosecution was Mr. Marcel Heimendinger, who stated that he drew up an agreement with the Far Eastern Trading Syndicate, of which Mayer was the sole proprietor, saying that he understood that "Mr. R. W. Mayer has charatered the ss. Ave Maria under Portuguese registry, for three months, and that the amount paid for the charter was $40,000 a month. Mr. Heimendinger agreed to pay $10,000 towards this for 20 per cent. of the profits of its operation." Included in the agreement was a clause to the effect that should the Japanese prohibit the operation of the Ave Maria the defendant should repay the $10,000. This was signed by Mayer, Mr. Heimendinger and Mr. Paul Premet, the witness's lawyer.

Witness said that during August the defendant came to his office and proposed the agreement. He brought a charter party signed by the Continental Company, which he later took to Mr. Paul Premet. The agreement was drawn up on or about August 11. Mayer said that he had already paid $20,000 towards the charter of the vessel, and introduced him to three Chinese, who were to take fifty per cent. of the proceeds, paying the other $20,000. "After a few weeks, "witness said," he telephoned me saying that he had not obtained a pass from the Japanese authorities, and I asked him to refund my money. This was returned about two months later, after I had placed the matter in the hands of the District Attorney."

Had Seen Charter Party

In his cross-examination Mr. Franklin asked if he had seen the charter party, witness said that he had, refusing to sign the agreement before this was produced. The agreement was finally signed in the presence of Mr. Premet. Mayer telephoned almost every day for three weeks to keep Mr. Heimendinger informed about getting the pass. When repayment was asked he had to wait until his patience was exhausted and he informed the District Attorney.

The next witness was Mr. Paul Premet, who stated that he acted as counsel for Mr. Heimendinger throughout the transaction. He signed the agreement between Mr. Heimendinger and Mayer. He saw the charter party, which was signed by a Mr. C. S. Chen, together with two witnesses.

A statement was produced in court by Mr. Richardson, from the Portuguese Consul-General, regarding registration of the ss. Ave Maria, which sails under the Portuguese flag. Mr. A. G. da Costa was then called, stating that he was the owner of the ship, and had only chartered it to one company, the Foo Shing Express Company, whose charter expired on November 5. He did not know either Mayer or the Continental Company, and had had no negotiations with them. The Foo Shing Express company had no right to sub-charter without consultation with him, he declared.

Witness Fails to Appear

In the afternoon Mr. Richardson declared that he had made every effort to trace Mr. C. S. Chen the owner of the Continental Steamship Co. and his brother, C. Chen. He had been informed, however, that C. S. Chen had been arrested by the Japanese. Japanese authorities had been unable to give him any information. "In calling the next two witnesses" he said "the prosecution wishes to remove any inference against either of the counsels for the defence." Mr. L. M. Shapitric was then called to the witness box.

He declared that he had known Mr. Mayer for two and a half years. Mayer came into his office on October 23, he said, and stated that he had given Mr. Chen $300 not to appear in the case and testify against him. Miss Altisoff, his secretary, was present at the meeting, Mayer mentioned later that if Chen, who is understood to be the key witness in the case against Mayer, did not appear, there would be no case. Cross-examining, Mr. Franklin asked whether Mayer owed witness any money. Mr. Shapitric stated that he did, but denied having said "I will make trouble if the money is not paid." He also denied having hidden Mayer in his house while attempts were being made to serve the warrant.

Motion Dismissed

Miss Altisoff confirmed this evidence. Mr. Richardson then proposed a motion that the case be treated *prima facie*, stating that he had hoped to show that the Continental Co. had never attempted to charter the Ave Maria, and had no authority to do so. Mr. Franklin, in replying, moved that the charge be dismissed owing to the insufficient evidence produced, stating that it was incumbent on the prosecution to show that there was intent to defraud in Mr. Mayer's transaction with Heimendinger. The motion for *prima facie* treatment of the case was dismissed.

The first witness for the defence was Lee Nai-ling, who said that he was in the steamship business, and first met Mr. Mayer on a boat travelling to Ningpo. He is general manger of the Foo Shing Shipping Company. In the evidence it was revealed that the Foo Shing Express Company, which had originally chartered the Ave Maria, had sub-chartered the vessel to the Foo Shing Shipping Company, and under a later arrangement to the Continental Company, who in turn had come to an agreement with Mr. Mayer. The case was then adjourned until this morning, when further witnesses for the defendant will be heard.

Messrs. Moody Display 1941 Plymouth Models

Many Improvements Noted In New Machines

First to have imported 1941 cars among local dealers, Messrs. Mark L. Moody yesterday began the display of the new models in their showrooms at the corner of Szechuen Road and Avenue Edward VII. Several cars were sold and orders taken for American delivery. The display, with the courteous staff and demonstrators on hand, will continue throughout today and tomorrow.

For the mechanically inclined motorist, who wants to know what's under the hood, Plymouth's new list of engineering improvements offers a special treat. This year's boost in engine power (now 88 h.p.) involves a new high-lift camshaft design, that opens valves higher, admitting larger volume of fuel per piston stroke. A new wide-radius manifold design gives better distribution of fuel vapor to all cylinders, helping to provide the added power in a smooth, steady flow and with great economy of fuel.

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Wedding of Mr. Beverley D. Causey, Jr., and Miss MacRae

The wedding took place yesterday afternoon at Holy Trinity Cathedral of Mr. Beverley D. Causey, Jr., of the faculty of St. John's University, Shanghai, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Beverley D. Causey of Lester Manor, Virginia, U.S.A., and Miss Clara MacRae, daughter of the Rev. Cameron F. MacRae, D.D., and the late Mrs. MacRae of Shanghai. Mrs. Stephen J. Goddard (sister of the bride) was matron of honour, Mr. Stephen J. Goddard best man, the ushers were Dr. Walter H. Pott, and Messrs. David G. Poston, George Laycock and T. Foster Teevan.

WEDDING

Causey-MacRae

The wedding took place yesterday afternoon at Holy Trinity Cathedral of Mr. Beverley Douglas Causey, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Beverley D. Causey of Lester Manor, Virginia, U.S.A., and Miss Clara Reed MacRae, daughter of the Rev. Cameron F. MacRae, D.D., and the late Mrs. MacRae of Shanghai. The Rev. F. L. Hawks Pott, D.D., officiated, assisted by Dean Trivett.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a trained gown of white slipper satin, cut on princess lines and made with a high cowl neckline, high waistline and long sleeves draped full to the elbows and fitted to the wrists. Her veil of fine cream tulle was lent by an old friend (Mrs. E. Harrison King of St. John's University). She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and tuberoses. The matron of honour was Mrs. Stephen J. Goddard (sister of the bride). She wore a dress of turquoise blue brocade taffeta, made with a full skirt, close-fitting bodice, short puffed sleeves with bows of dubonnet velvet at the shoulders. Her small hat was to match and her old-fashioned nosegay was of different coloured flowers. Mr. Stephen J. Goddard was best man and the ushers were Dr. Walter H. Pott and Messrs. David G. Poston, George Laycock and T. Foster Teevan.

After the ceremony a reception was held at 49 Rue Moliere, the residence of the bride's father. The bride went away in a green wool dress worn under a maroon coat trimmed with grey Persian lamb. Her hat and accessories were black.

Anti-Tuberculosis Talk

Suggested dietary measures for protection against tuberculosis which he characterizes as the greatest scourge, a radio broadcast over station XMHD operating on a frequency of 760 kilocycles, were length 395 metres will be given between 7 and 7.30 today by Professor Bernard E. Read of the Henry Lester Institute of Medical Research.

The same address was delivered by Professor Read some time ago at the annual meeting of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association, but owing to the importance of the subject it was decided to broadcast it.

S.M.C. to Restore Long Leaves

Modified Conditions Prohibit Furloughs to Be Spent in Europe

In a press communiqué issued yesterday the Shanghai Municipal Council announced that its decision to restore the long leave previously granted to foreign employees of belligerent powers, the period of furlough however being reduced from seven to six months, and leave to be spent in areas approved by the Council, while leave in Europe will not be allowed. The communiqué follows:

The Municipal Council has recently had under consideration the desirability or otherwise of restoring long leave, which was suspended in September 1939 in respect of employees who are nationals of all European Countries as well as nationals of those countries which are involved in the European War.

Early this year temporary regulations were framed which permitted employees to spend their long leave in the Orient under certain modified conditions, but long leave on those conditions has not been availed of.

After a thorough re-examination of the position, the Council has decided to restore long leave as from January 1, 1941 and during the period of the European War on a modified basis of six instead of seven months' long leave.

The new regulations will allow long leave to be spent only in areas approved by the Council. Leave in Europe is not permitted. The long leave passage allowance for employees of all classifications shall not exceed the cost of a return tourist fare to the employee's destination, with a proviso that the cost to the Council shall not exceed the return tourist class fare to Montreal.

Employees have the option of taking long leave when due on the modified basis or of waiting to take their leave after the end of the European War under the conditions then in force.

New Mayor to Stop Corruption

Changes Expected Here Under Chen Kung-po; New Officials Appointed

Reports circulated by organs of the new Nanking régime indicate that the newly appointed Mayor of Greater Shanghai, Mr. Chen Kung-po, wants to establish a city régime have that is devoid of corruption, having a fixed budget which he plans to follow commencing in January of next year. Development of trade and co-operation from both foreigners and Chinese are emphasized by the new Mayor. Reshuffling in the various departments under the late Mayor Fu Siao-en is going on and the new city régime administrator is expected to assume his duties by the middle of next week.

Prior to his departure for Shanghai from Nanking. Mr. Chen granted a press interview on Thursday at which he stressed his policy of leading the Shanghai people to live in peace and to this end, he said, he would "develop advantages while doing away with corruption," for only when officials are honest will they be able to carry out their duties efficiently. The new Mayor said that he was of the opinion that officials should look after their duties only and should not be allowed to engage in trade, even though it were legal.

Foreshadowing a possible change of the present administrative area under the Shanghai Special Municipality, Mayor Chen stated during the interview that the size of the area should fit in with developments and that he saw the necessity of "reconsidering" the demarcation of the present area. He complained that so far the city régime here had no fixed budget and promised to prepare one for the coming year so that reconstruction plans can be carried out by depending on the city régime's own income.

Mayor Chen sent a representative to the Shanghai Special Municipality on Thursday to make necessary arrangements prior to his assumption of office. Three important department heads under the late Mayor Fu are winding up their offices, preparing to hand over their portfolios to men appointed by the new Mayor. Messrs. Yuen Hou-tze, Lin Hsien-wen and Yih Hsieh-sung have been newly appointed as heads of the Bureaux of Finance, Social Affairs and Public Utilities respectively.

The outgoing Finance Bureau head will re-enter the business field, while Mr. Wu Wen-chung, the outgoing head of the Bureau of Social Affairs, has been appointed member of the Standing Committee of the Overseas Chinese Affairs Committee in Nanking. The outgoing head of the Bureau of Public Utilities has left behind $280,000 for rehabilitating Nantao.

Shipping to Chekiang Again Stopped

Shipping between Shanghai and the entire Chekiang coast has again been closed at the request of the Japanese, no customs papers being granted to third-party steamers sailing to Chekiang coastal districts, states the "Shun Pao."

Ningpo and Wenchow were closed to shipping long ago, but third-party steamers have, from time to time, been able to proceed to Koo Aou Tao and Haimen whence goods may eventually be transported to the two main Chekiang districts. Since Thursday, however, even these two districts were closed to shipping beside two other districts, namely, Sungmen and Shihpu, also in Chekiang. Sarchen in Fukien was also closed by the same order.

Customs College Not Open in Hongkong

In view of the fact that certain persons have been spreading rumours of the opening of a branch of the Customs College in Hongkong, Dr. Sherman Chang, the Director General of the Chinese National Customs Administration and concurrently the President of the Customs College, has made direct inquiry of the Hongkong authorities.

Several members of the 30th year class travelled to Hongkong at their own expense only to find that they had been duped by the rumour mongers. They immediately wrote back to Shanghai and told the rest of the students of the actual conditions so that the matter has finally been cleared up. Dr. Chang stated that he is glad to see that the truth of the situation has finally come out and the good name of the college has not suffered through the selfishness of a few individuals.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Grand National Steeplechase To Be Run This Afternoon

Going Slow Fancied to Win Today's Premier Attraction; Eight Races on the Programme

By "The Chaser"

AFTER four days of magnificent racing we have now reached the fifth and concluding day of the Autumn Race Meeting and this afternoon what is generally known as the "off-day" or perhaps more renowned as "children's day" because this is the one day of the season that minors under the age of 17 are allowed to watch the races.

Following the traditional custom of yesteryears the last day of the meeting is always featured by the Grand National Steeplechase and this is the first race of the afternoon. There has been an unfortunate dearth of steeplechase ponies during the last few years and this thrilling form of sport has gradually been declining in popularity. This afternoon's event is the first that we have had this autumn.

Thirteen Entries

There are 13 entries for the National, but a field of eight or nine are expected to start. Handicapped at top-weight is Newcastle who will have to carry the burden of 165 pounds, which may cause him to be withdrawn from the race. But if he does start he should not be far off the winner at the finish. Going Slow will be burdened by the weight of 162 pounds and on his recent running I think he will win this race. Among the entries are such well-known jumpers as Socrates, Steve Brodie, White Major, Saucylight, San Carlo and Don Alfonso. These ponies need no introduction to steeplechasing and among the lot we have a few National winners. San Carlo and Socrates may fill the places.

Interesting Last Race

There are no races for the "quality" lot but there is a rather interesting event for the Australian ponies. This is the eighth race and over the distance of a mile and a quarter. Ponies eligible for the race must be winners of not more than one race and there are twelve entries. Looking through the list I notice the names of Tanda and The Witch at the end of the list. They may be at the bottom of the list in the Race book but I see quite a different order at the finish of the race as I think the winner will be either one of them. Although Tanda has been running magnificently with such good 'uns as Bluegrass, Fancyray and that crowd, I expect to see The Witch beat him in a close tussle. The remaining place should fall to Senorita.

There is a very common lot in the second race and it is quite understandable as it is a race for sixth and seventh class ponies. We should see a pretty good field face the barrier in this race, what with 24 being entered. Moonshine is full of beans at the moment and should be able to beat Boubouble and win this race. Port Bradda seems about the best bet for the remaining place.

Duntai is Dangerous

The third race is the "B" section of the Griffins Handicap and there are about five here that stand a fighting chance. Sparkylight, despite his weight of 163 pounds, should carry the bulk of the public's money while The Titmouse may find this field slow enought for him to run away with the race. Duntai showed up well in the Spring. He has not done so well this season but he is rapidly improving and should be a danger to the winner here. Sandbar was very well up the last time he was out against such good company as Autumn Day, Trident and National Bank. However, I think Merry Colonel can just about win this race as he will only have to carry 142 pounds. Sparkylight and Sandbar should fill the minor berths.

There is a "classier" lot of griffins in the "A" section, the fifth race, and with Cluniehill scratched we should see a very close race with Silver Fox and Twylight fighting out the finish. Of the two I have a slight preference for Silver Fox who has been running consistently well. Larne might be the winner if he would only gallop honestly. Trident with 163 pounds should not be far off, while Don Ronco and Autumn Day are definitely of this class.

Levenvale Picked to Win

I do not think it is necessary to look any further than Levenvale for the winner of the Montreal Stakes and I expected to see him gallop past the winning post followed by Josspray and Haiphong. Grumpy and Fiery Kingman should provide strong combination while Telegram may be the outsider. The sixth race looks like a good thing for Corps Cavalry, who should be able to reverse the decision on Don Blanco. The remaining place may go to Loch Maree.

Despite Benlight's weight of 164 pounds I do not think he will be beaten in the seventh race and would gladly risk a fiver on him to win. Strong opposition will come from Ashridge and Fleeting Bow while Un-Un-Un will be strongly supported.

The last race should go to the reliable Shenko who appears to be coming on with each race. The place berths may be filled by Petrushka and Crispylight.

Women's Pin Title Goes to Race Club

Y "Boots" Defeated in Playoff Caused by Tie; Miss Baptista Stars

The Shanghai Race Club Women's Duck Pin team won the "B" Division Championship yesterday evening when they defeated the "Y" Boots in the play-off of the tie in the league series by two straight games.

What was expected to be a keen tussle fizzled into a tame affair with the players at sixes and sevens over the run of the alleys at the Columbia Country Club. Three century singles were chalked up, with Miss Baptista taking the honours with a tally of 112. As the playoff was the best out of three games only two frames were necessary.

The scores in detail follow:—

S. Race Club 2; "Y" Boots 0

S. Race Club

Miss Prince	81	95	176
Mrs. Boardman	67	94	161
Miss Wilson	99	109	208
Mrs. Prince	89	108	197
Mrs. Pote-Hunt	90	89	179
	446	493	939

"Y" Boots

Miss Baptista	79	112	191
Mrs. Richardson	81	95	176
Miss Bugaeff	72	84	156
Mrs. Bojesen	71	60	131
Mrs. Sobel	95	92	187
	396	463	861

Final League Standings

	W.	L.
*S. Race Club	15	5
"Y" Boots	13	7
C.C.C. Whites	8	12
A. C. Deuces	2	18

*—In the playoff the S.R.C. won two games straight.

Marines Win Title

The Marines won the City Duck Pin League "A" Division last night when they defeated the "Y" Lumberjacks on the odd game in what was their last match of the series thus breaking the five-year reign of the Foreign Y.M.C.A. This match had been advanced to enable the Marine quintette completing their schedule prior to the departure of three of their leading bowlers—Morris, Smith and Williams—by the U.S.S. Chaumont next week.

The Leathernecks came pretty close to holding the short end as the Lumberjacks cracked through a team single of 505 in the first game to their opponent's 470. A strong rally in the closing games saw the Marines turn in some good scores. Krencicki took the triple honours of the night with Dolinsek credited on the single. The scores in detail follow:—

"Y" Lumberjacks 1; U.S.M.C. 2

"Y" Lumberjacks

Swan	103	109	100	312
Bojesen	110	86	88	274
Zeleniak	101	85	94	280
Dobransky	104	92	96	292
Malone	87	94	87	268
	505	466	465	1,424

U.S.M.C.

Morris	79	91	109	278
Smith	89	109	82	280
Williams	99	88	113	300
Krencicki	107	105	102	314
Dolinsek	96	87	115	298
	470	480	521	1,471

League Standings

	W.	L.
U.S.M.C.	19	5
"Y" Woodchoppers	12	9
"Y" Lumberjacks	8	16
C.C.C.	7	11
American Club	5	13

Four Women's Hockey Games This Week-End

A restricted schedule of matches for this week-end ladies' hockey will be seen today when only one game was announced by the Shanghai Ladies Hockey Association. Only four fixtures will be played-off this week-end, the SLHA announced. The Race Course will be closed for the steeplechase events, while the Shanghai American School have dropped their junior team from their competition, these factors going towards the curtailment of the hockey fixtures.

Due to several departures of their members on evacuation ships, the Shanghai American School are finding it increasingly difficult to field even two elevens. The decision therefore to carry on with only one team was decided by the S.A.S. All fixtures for the "B" teams have been cancelled.

Sole Fixture

The sole fixture for today will see the S.A.S. senior eleven crossing sticks with the A.S.P. "A" in what should prove a closely contested match. The American School team have lost most of their power today as compared to the start of the season, they remain, however, a powerful aggregation.

The match between the Shanghai Ladies and the Erin Villa first stringers has been transferred to tomorrow and will take place on the Erin Villa ground. In another senior friendly game the In Uno team will meet the Sokols, with the former favoured to win without much difficulty.

Fighting Trim

With the annual league rapidly coming to a climax, various teams are getting into fighting trim for what should prove to be a close race for honours this season. Meanwhile, in an effort to raise the standard of hockey here, the SLHA are concentrating in obtaining umpires. Several appeals have been made and a meeting has been called on the question for Tuesday, November 19, at the Y.W.C.A. at 5.30 p.m.

Hockey Programme For Tomorrow

All Six Games Kept Over Until Tomorrow as Race Course is Closed Today

Six fixtures have been crammed into one day for the men's hockey teams this week-end as the running of the National Steeplechase today does not permit the Race Course to be employed for field sports. Consequently, all engagements on the Shanghai Hockey Association programme will be held tomorrow, two matches being allotted to each of the Race Course grounds.

With the Club, the United and the Police dividing their strength into two even teams each, competition has been fairly satisfactory despite the fact that there is only one division in the friendly games. Last week-end some surprisingly close games, but tomorrow will see a crop of even more bitterly contested tussles.

On their showing last week-end, there can be little doubt that the Shanghai Hockey Club possess two of the most powerful teams at present. Their "Harlequins" eleven will be in the spotlight tomorrow in their meeting with the Jewish Recs side. The J.R.C. displayed their prowess in no mean manner when they took the measure of the United "Trojans" by 2-1 last week.

It now remains to be seen whether the Jewish players can deal out the same punishment to the Harlequins. It appears to be improbable that the Club side can go down, considering that they conquered the Police "A" by the surprisingly easy margin of 8-1 in their recent encounter.

At the same time, the Police "A" will be given a chance to regain some of their lost prestige when they face the United "Trojans" in their coming fixture. But it appears that the lawmen have drawn another tartar and it is on the boards that they will go down to their second straight defeat.

Another engagement which should see some inspired hockey is the fixture between the Club "Crusaders" and the United "Spartans." The Crusaders are a formidable aggregation and they have the services of two Dutch Internationals, to make matters even darker for the Spartans. The latter side are still smarting from their fiasco last week when they lost to the Police "B" after commanding a lead of three goals.

Tomorrow's Hockey Schedule

The following fixtures have been arranged for Sunday:

2.15 S'hai United "Trojans" v. S.M.P. "A." Ground 3.
3.30 Chalsa v. S.M.P "B." Ground 3.
2.15 Jewish Recreation Club v. S.H.C. "Harlequins," Ground 6.
3.30 S.H.C. "Crusaders" v. S'hai United "Spartans," Ground 6.
2.30 Junior Athletic Club v. British Navy, Ground 7.

Giants Almost Too Good

Bare Point Margin Scored Over Chinese as Result Of "Copybook" Play

The Foreign "Y" Giants tried hard to play copybook basketball against the Union five at the "Y" gym last night, and consequently lost many an opportunity to score baskets, edging their Chinese opponents out for a meagre 42-41.

The plays of the Giants, well rehearsed as they were, were constantly nipped by the faster Union players, who netted most of their tallies through long shots from the middle of the floor. Their attempts, meanwhile, to come right under the basket were prevented by the smart Giants team.

George Yaron was top-scorer for the Giants with 13 points but on many occasions towards the end of the game he wrecked Giant plays, passing or shooting too early.

The box-scores follow:—

"Y" Giants

	fg.	ft.	pf.	pts
Soskin L., rf.	1	0	0	2
Yaron, lf.	6	1	1	13
Jorgensen, lf.	0	0	0	0
Vernick, c.	1	0	0	2
Soskin, rg.	5	1	1	11
Smith, lg.	3	0	3	6
Kazimiroff, g.	3	2	0	8
	19	4	5	42

Union

Van, rf.	1	1	4	3
Loh, lf.	2	1	1	5
Loo, c.	3	0	0	6
Chou, rg.	6	1	0	13
Shen, rg.	7	0	0	14
Chang, lg.	0	0	0	0
Doo, lg.	0	0	2	0
	19	3	7	41

Shanghai Golf Club Week-end Schedule

Saturday

12.44 Cameron, Smith/Vajda, Kelen
12.52 Jacobs, McCants/Jenkins, Alexander
1.04 Wienberg, Davis/Snow, Isherwood
1.12 Drysdale, Corbett/Parry, Cowherd
1.28 DeJong, MacFarlane/Open., Dixon
1.36 Chalmers, Davis/Captain
1.48 Vice President
1.52 Lurton, Dickson (4 Ball)
1.56 Barry, Gavin/President
2.08 McDonald, Schinazi
2.12 Keating, Patrick (4 Ball)
2.16 Farnham, Jourdin/Sugita, Ibusuki
2.28 Poulsen, Christensen
2.32 Drysdale, Miss Ross
2.36 Gluckauf, Mrs. Gluckauf
2.44 Mrs. Pederson, Mrs. Christensen

Sunday

8.44 Vajda, Kelen/Pearson, Huggett
8.52 Stevenson, Corbett/DeJong, Jourdin
9.04 Drysdale, Miners/Isher., Brown
9.12 Piper, Walters/Cameron, Hathaway
9.24 Keating, Jenkins/Pratt, Clark
9.32 MacF., Cowherd/Chalmers, Wheeler
9.44 Captain/Carpenter, Patrick
9.52 Brister, Walker/President
10.04 to 10.16 Tee Reserved for Ladies Championship 1940.
10.04 Mrs. W. T. Alexander v. Miss N. Toeg
10.08 Mrs. C. M. Wentworth v. Mrs. W. H. B. Rigg
10.12 Miss F. H. Ross v. Miss M. Ballingall
10.16 Mrs. W. Harper v. Mrs. A. Germ
10.24 Rigg, Martin/Pearson, Gibbings
10.32 Rigden, Cleland/Vice President
10.44 Openshaw, Evans/Fulstow, Davis
10.52 Lurton, Alexander/McC., Marshall
11.04 Peacock, Toeg/Openshaw, Parkhill
11.12 Gluckauf, Mrs. Gluckauf
1.32 Sugita, Kanazawa
2.04 to 2.08 Tee Reserved for Ladies Championship 1940.
2.04 Tee Reserved for Ladies Championship
2.08 Tee Reserved for Ladies Championship

Soccer Sidelights and Team Standings in 1st Division

A.S.F. Show Signs of Returning to Old Standards; Three Cultures Doing Well in Second Division

THE mighty have fallen and risen. The success of the Association Sportive Francaise showed football fans that the Foreign Legion were far from being through when they defeated a highly-praised S.M.P. eleven at the Canidrome on Saturday afternoon, and this done without the services of Georges Collet and "Blondie" Roboostoff, two of the city's best players.

With the A.S.F. winning their initial game, there only remains P.T.H. without a single victory.....Several S.F.X. players were behind the line at the S.R.C.—J.R.C. game on Saturday afternoon, rooting for the Jewish Recs to win. Unfortunately, they were disappointed for the Recs put up a last minute spurt to win the game and the two very valuable points.....

Jacob of the J.R.C. was nicknamed "Gandhi" by some fans who witnessed the J.R.C. player in action last week. Incidentally, Chooklantzeff, the Police left winger, is about the only player to have two nicknames. To Russians he is plain "Teek," but to other fans he is "Chook." The first is the abbreviation of his Christian name..... "Handsome" Silva, diminutive halfback of Lusitano, has been ill for some time and is now reconditioning in the Reserve Team before winning games for the senior team.....

Denis Chen's dream appears to be materializing. The Three Cultures, once one of the best Chinese teams in this city, is making a strong bid to garner the Second Division title. In their meeting with the French Forces, the Chinese came out winners by the odd goal in three—and the French are considered to be the strongest there...The reason for Bobby Favacho's poor display on Sunday is the fact that the veteran Portuguese player had been working the whole night through on Saturday, coming on to the field direct from work.....

The following letter was received by the Sports Editor.

Dear Sir, This will advise you that Tung Hwa beat Lusitano 3-1 by lucky win today. I don't know what is the reason that always "lucky" come to them. I hope that they must lucky again, again and again.

Yours truly, A Chineseman.

It is not known whether this letter was written with an idea of laughing at football writers, who had recently said that Tung Hwa were lucky in their wins against the other elevens of the First Division. Whether it is so or not, the fact remains that the Chinese players are "lucky" that the forwards of the senior teams here lack shooting power. For example, in their game against the Recs All Stars, Tung Hwa were bested in every department and had the Recs realized but half of the opportunities that came their way, the score would have been catastrophical against the Chinese.

The following are the standings in the First and Reserve Divisions so far.

1st Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts
Tung Hwa	5	5	0	0	14	8	10
S.F.X.	4	3	1	0	14	7	6
S.M.P.	4	3	1	0	13	10	6
S.R.C.	4	3	1	0	13	12	6
Lusitano	4	1	3	0	12	13	2
J.R.C.	4	1	3	0	11	14	2
A.S.F.	5	1	4	0	10	15	2
P.T.H.	4	0	4	0	4	12	0

Reserve Division

Lusitano	3	3	0	0	15	2	6
Tung Hwa	2	2	0	0	9	3	4
S.R.C.	2	2	0	0	6	3	4
S.F.X.	2	1	1	0	4	4	2
J.R.C.	3	1	2	0	8	10	2
S.M.P.	2	1	1	0	4	8	2
P.T.H.	3	0	3	0	4	12	0
A.S.F.	3	0	3	0	2	10	0

Shanghai Hockey Club Teams for Tomorrow

"Harlequins," Ground 6, 2.15 p.m.:—J. Larsen, W. J. Silvey, H. A. Crickmer, S. M. Carlisle, M. W. Turner, A. J. Beekmeijer, P. L. Murray, R. G. Willis, C. Woolhouse, J. W. Pote-Hunt, R. J. Parsons. Reserves: A. P. Taylor-Gill, R. G. Hopwood. Umpire: R. J. Whitehead.

"Crusaders," Ground 6, 3.30 p.m.:—E. B. S. Creasy, J. S. Kenyon, C. C. Van Der Voort, B. K. Wallace, B. Scheltus, R. D. H. Wilmer, I. H. Bradford, F. E. Lintilhac, I. H. Kendall, J. D. Brand, W. H. King. Reserves: J. W. Galvin, and L. Underwood. Umpire: E. P. Higgs.

Only One 1st Division Game This Afternoon

Greatly curtailed because of the closure of Race Course this afternoon, today's soccer programme will only see three matches, one in the First Division, while the other two will be encounters between Second Division teams.

In the senior engagement at the Canidrome this afternoon, the revived A.S.F. will pit their strength against the Lusitano in what should be a very close game. Judging by their show last Saturday, the Foreign Legion should manage to add two more points to their credit, although no surprise will be felt if the Portuguese come out winners. On the whole the game should be a very close affair and it is thought that, whoever wins, the game should end in an odd-goal score.

In the Second Division games, the French Forces are out to meet Parks United, and this game should provide some interest. It may be recalled that the Chinese beat the French soldiers last year, the game ending in a free-for-all, with several players, including Georges Collet, being suspended for fighting. This game will be played at the Kiaochow Park. In the last game of the afternoon, Sokol will meet the so far undefeated Three Cultures at the Aurora University ground.

Week-end Soccer Schedule

Saturday

1st division:—Lusitano v. A.S.F., Canidrome, 2.30 p.m., W .T. Sung. Line: M. Rothschild, E. J. Kidby.
2nd division:—French Forces v. Parks, Kiaochow, E. M. Marchetti; Sokol v. 3 Cults., Aurora, T. H. Ho.

Sunday

1st division:—S.R.C. v. Tung Hwa, Canidrome, 10.30 a.m., A. C. Sinclair. Line: L. Chang, S. U. Woo; S.M.P. v. S.F.X., R.G. 2, H. A. Harrs. Line: S. Neumann. A. G. B. Carnell; J.R.C. v. P.T.H., R.G. I. F. C. Hale. Line: A. Hurry, J. Weaver.
Reserve division:—S.M.P. v. S.R.C. R.G. 5, P. Drossel.
2nd division:—Russ. Regt. v. Union, Kiaochow, 1.30 p.m., Z. T. Loh; 4th "A" v. Row. Club, Kiaochow, 3.15 p.m., N. Fadeyeff; Russ. A.A. v. Brit. Navy, S.R.C., A. Leslie.

James Wong Howe saw red when he looked through his camera on the "City for Conquest" set. James Cagney, Ann Sheridan, Arthur Kennedy and Danny Jackson all have carrot tops. So do their stand-ins.

Badminton League Prospects

Badminton enthusiasts are doubtless relieved by the announcement of the Shanghai Badminton Association to the effect that the local league will definitely be held this season. The increasing popularity of the sport was amply evidenced by the large number of team entries last year, and there is every indication that this season's response will be every bit as enthusiastic. Clubs are reminded that entries for the competition close on Wednesday, November 20.

The majority of clubs in last year's league have already expressed their ability to raise a sufficient number of teams to make the league an unqualified success. It also appears that the league will be conducted in three divisions again during the coming winter, these being the Men's Doubles' Ladies' Doubles and the Mixed Doubles.

Chinese Mixed Doubles Team

After scoring a sweeping success in the Men's Doubles competition the "Flying Shuttles," the crack Chinese team, are all primed to defend their title this season. In addition, they have been able to raise a mixed doubles side, which, considering the strength of their men players, should be a formidable aggregation.

After an idle session of a year, the Clube Lusitano will be seen in action again. It may be recalled that they were unable to take part in the past league as their club house was torn down. Their new building, however, has been completed and with new badminton courts at their disposal, they will be in the thick of the competition this year.

In the meantime, the Cercle Sportif Francais, the Country Club and the Sokols have all stated that they will be able to raise teams. There is also a possibility of the Association Sportive Francaise joining the league play. At present, there appears to be only one doubtful club, this being the Union Church, but it is likely that they will get together a side as they have always been able to do in the past.

For the new season, the following will be serving on the Executive Committee:—

President:—E. S. Barraclough.
Vice-President:—A. G. Meise.
Hon. Secretary and Treasurer:—J. G. Forbes.
Committee Members:—B. V. de Senna, S. W. Clark, J. G. Haigh.

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Comparative Opening Cash Prices (Quotations in Chinese Dollars unless otherwise stated * H'kong $) This Friday Morning November 15, 1940				Last Friday Morning November 8, 1940				Business Recorded During Week Closing Thursday		STOCKS	Authorised Capital (No. of Shares)	Issued Capital (No. of Shares)	Paid up Value (or Face Value)	Fin. Year ends	Last Dividends, etc.	Paid or due	Business Done Year 1939		Business Done Year 1940		Total No. of Shares Done for		Total Amount of Sales Reported	
Buyers	Sellers	Last Sales	Nom.	Buyers	Sellers	Last Sales	Nom.	Highest	Lowest								Highest	Lowest	Highest	Lowest	Last Week	This Week	1939	14-11-40
										Banks, Finance Companies														
.....	.....	17.30	.....	17	.....	17½	.....	17.30	17.30	Central Properties, Ltd.	5,000,000	180,000	$10	Dec.	Special Int. $2.00 a/c 1940	9-5-40	18 Jan	14 Feb	25½ May	12 May	1,300	100	53,000	130,450
.....	.....	44	12	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	China Bond & Shares Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	200,000	120,000	$10	Dec.	Fin. Div. 6% (Mkg 10% a/c 1939)	12-3-40	10 Jan	10 Jan	12 Mar	12 Mar	.....	.....	21,000	500
.....	.....	0.98	.....	.....	.....	1.04	.....	1.04	0.98	China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	400,000	400,000	T5	Dec.	Spec. Tax Div. $0.05½ on record 31/12/1939	11-3-40	0.50 Dec	0.20 July	3.80 Jan	65 May	6,000	3,000	26,000	1,454,810
.....	.....	1,300	.....	.....	.....	1,300	.....	.....	.....	Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	400,000	160,000	H$125	Dec.	Int. Div. £2.10-0 a/c 1940 Less I/T	10-8-40	1,445 Mar	1,310 Oct	1,520 Apr	975 June	.....	.....	788	554
22½	.....	22½	.....	24½	24½	24.00	.....	25½	21½	Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China, Ltd.	2,000,000	350,000	T10	Mar.	Int. $0.75 a/c 1940-41	4-10-40	11.10 Dec	2.37½ Feb	39½ May	8.60 May	206,000	138,950	1,828,855	5,159,048
28½	29	28	.....	30½	30½	30.00	.....	31½	28½	Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	250,000	250,000	T5	Dec.	2nd Int. $1.00 (Mkg. $2.00 a/c 1940)	8-11-40	15 Dec	5 Sept	41½ May	10.40 May	54,200	46,650	1,301,258	3,832,632
.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	Union Mobiliere	100,000	100,000	$20	Dec.	4½ % a/c 1939	8-5-40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12.70	12.90	12½	.....	13.60	14.00	13.40	.....	14.40	12.10	Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	517,500	T10	Mar.	Int. $0.50 a/c 1940-41	4-10-40	10.10 Dec	4.72½ Sept	24½ Apr	7.05 June	102,925	91,000	928,365	4,355,974
4.90	5.00	4.80	.....	5.25	5.30	5.20	.....	5.50	4.70	Shanghai Securities, Ltd.	1,000,000	875,000	$5	Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.50 May	3.00 May	226,450	117,600	.....	3,322,213
										Insurances														
.....	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	.....	.....	American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	75,000	75,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40, a/c 1939	3-6-40	3.25 Nov	3 Jan	26 Sept	5 Jan	.....	.....	7,400	6,031
.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	Asia Life Insurance Co.	100,000	40,000	*U.S. $5	Dec.	Div. 10% = G$0.50, 1938	11-9-39	70 Jan	70 Jan	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....
.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	Assurance Franco-Asiatique	70,000	70,000	F100	Dec.	Div. 5%, 1938	10-5-39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	18.00	18.00	International Assurance Co., Ltd.	933,333	280,000	10/-	Dec.	Div. $0.30, 1933 (Nil 1939)	18-5-34	11.20 Oct	7.50 Apr	19.70 May	8.90 Jan	500	300	85,873	1,016,032
.....	.....	*410.00	.....	.....	.....	*410.00	.....	.....	.....	Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd.	200,000	135,000	£6	Dec.	Int. 12/6 a/c 1940	15-11-40	480 Mar	365 Oct	520 Apr	345 July	.....	.....	1,020	1,230
										Lands														
.....	.....	.....	178	.....	.....	.....	178	.....	.....	Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	25,000	19,335	T100	Feb.	Int. $2.00 a/c 1940-41	22-10-40	200 Dec	120 Sept	200 Jan	200 Jan	.....	.....	366	100
1.70	.....	.....	.....	1.50	.....	.....	.....	1.70	1.70	Cathay Land Co., Ltd.	500,000	480,374	T10	Dec.	Final 2% = $0.28 (Mkg. 6% 1933) (Nil 1939)	5-5-34	2 Dec	1 May	5.10 Feb	1.70 Nov	.....	500	72,500	36,150
7.30	.....	7.30	.....	7.50	.....	7.30	.....	7.65	7.10	China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	1,250,000	1,236,327	$10	Dec.	.....	.....	1 Jan	0.23 Aug	10.90 Jan	6.30 Oct	13,578	6,535	461,581	3,360,417
.....	.....	254	.....	.....	.....	254	.....	.....	.....	Fonciere et Immobiliere de Chine	20,000	20,000	T100	Dec.	Int. Div. $15.00 a/c 1940	30-6-40	180 Mar	180 Mar	275 Feb	275 Feb	.....	.....	48	605
.....	.....	11	.....	10½	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	500,000	39,800	T10	Sept	Int. Div. $0.40, a/c 1940	15-7-40	8 Dec	4.20 Feb	15.70 Feb	9 Jan	.....	.....	12,380	118,516
.....	.....	11	.....	10½	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	do. "B"		155,018	T10	Sept	Int. Div. $0.40, a/c 1940	15-7-40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	10	.....	12	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	San Sing Properties, Ltd.	2,000,000	805,007	T10	Mar.	Int. Div. $0.60 a/c 1939 (Final Nil) (Nil 1938-40)	23-12-38	.....	.....	10.00 Nov	7.50 Oct	1,750	.....	.....	45,500
11.00	.....	10.80	.....	11.80	11.90	11.70	.....	11.90	10.70	Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	2,386,800	2,386,800	($7) T5	Dec.	Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. T'ls. 0.80 1934) (Nil 1939)	25-4-35	13 Dec	7.50 Aug	20½ Feb	8.80 May	98,910	74,600	1,248,107	3,527,268
.....	.....	.....	99½	.....	.....	.....	99½	.....	.....	Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	120,000	64,281	$50	Dec.	Final 2% (Mkg. 15% 1938) (Nil 1939)	15-2-39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
										Docks, Wharves and Transport														
32½	32½	31½	.....	31½	32	31	.....	35½	30½	Shanghai Dockyards, Ltd.	2,000,000	1,125,000	$10	Sept.	Int. Div. $1.00 a/c 1940	1-7-40	.....	.....	75 May	19.10 June	224,300	259,450	.....	6,387,234
.....	.....	410	.....	.....	430	410	.....	410.00	410.00	Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T100	Dec.	Int. $17.00 a/c 1940	29-8-40	270 Dec	170 Jan	580 May	267 Jan	50	35	11,914	8,168
92	93½	90½	.....	.....	.....	93½	.....	98.00	88½	Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	478,720	T10	Mar.	Int. $5 a/c 1940-41	Pending	76.50 Dec	28 Sept	272 Apr	38 July	131,790	88,729	724,907	2,571,219
										Utilities														
18.00	.....	18.00	.....	.....	.....	18.60	.....	19.50	18.00	China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Fin. Div. $0.70 (Mkg. $1.26 a/c 1938) (Nil 1939)	20-4-39	32.25 June	18.50 Aug	37 May	15 June	16,100	11,200	119,712	728,308
.....	17½	16.30	.....	.....	.....	17.10	.....	17.80	16.90	Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd. "Old"	700,000	700,000	$10	Dec.	Div. $0.80 1939	30-4-40	12.40 Dec	8 Feb	37 May	12.30 Jan	8,500	6,000	25,687	593,997
42½	42½	42½	.....	45½	45½	45.00	.....	46½	42.00	Shanghai Telephone Company Fed. Inc. U.S.A.	2,000,000	1,151,420	$10	Dec.	Int. $2.50 a/c 1940	27-12-39	23.75 Dec	10.60 July	55 May	23 Jan	27,398	25,820	440,280	1,333,052
.....	.....	42½	.....	.....	41½	42½	.....	.....	.....	S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg."	700,000	670,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 5% a/c 1939 Coupon 57	30-4-40	{40.50 July	36 Sept	54 Apr	41½ Oct	.....	.....	8,274	10,874
44	.....	44½	.....	44	.....	44½	.....	45½	44½	do. "Bear"							44.75 June	36 Sept	69½ May	40 June	2,470	2,190	275,900	313,960
.....	.....	900.00	.....	.....	.....	900.00	.....	.....	.....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	40,236	40,236	£20	Dec.	Int. 4/- a/c 1940	27-9-40	330 Oct	620 Jan	1,350 May	797 Aug	50	.....	3,600	1,080
.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	.....	.....	do. "B"	{108,505		£1	Dec.	Int. 2/4 a/c 1940	27-9-40	33.50 Aug	26 Apr	42 Feb	32½ Jan	.....	.....	9,705	1,480
.....	38.00	37½	.....	.....	.....	37.00	.....	37½	.....	do. "C"	{250,000		£1	Dec.	Int. 2/4 a/c 1940	27-9-40	33.50 Oct	26.25 Mar	50 Mar	32½ Jan	.....	800	7,771	8,115
.....	.....	16.10	.....	.....	.....	16.10	.....	.....	.....	Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd. "New"	.....	.....	.....	Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	22 Sept	15.70 Oct	.....	12	.....	8,630
										Miscellaneous														
.....	.....	21.00	.....	24	.....	23	.....	21.00	21.00	Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	150,000	118,500	$8	Dec.	2nd Int. $2.00 (Mkg. $4.00 a/c 1940)	15-11-40	15 Dec	8.50 May	23½ Feb	16 Jan	500	500	24,920	11,155
.....	.....	16.00	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	50,000	49,703	$10	Dec.	Tax. Div. $1.50 on record 31/12/39	6-3-40	17.20 Dec	11 Aug	23½ Mar	15.50 Oct	400	.....	15,607	5,245
.....	.....	.....	27½	30	.....	23	.....	.....	.....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	200,000	140,000	T10	Dec.	Int. $2.50 a/c 1940	12-11-40	15 Dec	11 Mar	28 Apr	22.25 Jan	.....	.....	7,715	13,428
43½	43½	43½	.....	.....	44½	43½	.....	45½	42½	China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	500,000	231,803	T10	Feb.	Fin. $4.00 (Mkg. $6.50 a/c 1939-40)	24-5-40	39.50 Dec	19 June	81 May	30 May	15,130	17,600	22,753	609,634
41	.....	41½	.....	42	.....	43½	.....	46½	42.00	Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	2,000,000	1,960,000	£1	June	Div. 7½% a/c 1938/39 Free of I/T Coupon 46	15-3-40	48 Dec	22.25 Jan	72½ May	35½ Oct	6,100	7,400	175,625	136,546
.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	750,000	725,000	£1	June	Div. 1/-(Mkg. 1/9d. 1937) Less Tax (Nil 1939)	15-1-35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
37	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	Cnlky Dairy Co., Ltd.	40,000	40,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.50 a/c 1939	12-4-40	30 Oct	19 Jan	42 Apr	35 Aug	.....	.....	450	5,432
15	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Champ Course Francais French	30,000	30,000	$20	Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1939)	1-3-35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	(French Race Course) non-French	.....	.....	.....	Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1939)	1-3-35	80 Mar	80 Mar	15 Sept	15 Sept	.....	.....	100	30
6.75	6.85	6.70	.....	7.30	7.35	7.25	.....	7.40	6.55	Ewo Breweries, Ltd.	4,000,000	1,400,000	$5	Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8.00 Oct	6.55 Nov	219,850	194,555	.....	767,825
.....	.....	34	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	32.00	32.00	Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	28,000	26,342	$20	Feb.	Div. 5% = $1, 1934-35 (1938-39 Nil)	30-5-35	15 Dec	8 Feb	34 Aug	25 Feb	.....	26	1,328	1,532
.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	1,500,000	1,193,867	H$7.50	Dec.	Div. Hk. $0.50 a/c 1939	17-4-40	5 Apr	5 Apr	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....
.....	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	75,000	45,000	$10	Feb.	Fin. Div. $1.00 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1939-40)	10-7-40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	100,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Fin. Div. $1.50 (Mkg. $5.50 a/c 1939)	12-3-40	12 May	12 May	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....
27.00	27½	17.00	.....	29	29½	28½	.....	31.00	26½	Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	2,000,000	250,000	$5	Dec.	Fin. Div. $3.00 a/c 1939	31-5-40	18.90 Nov	4.50 Sept	55 May	17.70 July	91,000	88,200	1,251,630	3,164,735
.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	Millington, Ltd.	300,000	110,000	$4	Dec.	Div. 10% = $0.40 a/c 1939	26-4-40	2 Mar	1.40 Oct	8.00 Mar	6.00 Sept	.....	.....	14,310	2,095
.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T8.50	Dec.	Div. $1.00 a/c 1939	26-6-40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
23½	24	23½	.....	25	25½	24½	.....	26½	22½	S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd.	1,200,000	716,699	T2.50	Dec.	Int. $0.60 a/c 1940	27-9-40	9.50 Nov	4.50 Aug	34 May	8.60 Jan	263,400	293,160	1,748,925	8,892,992
.....	.....	4.75	.....	.....	.....	4.75	.....	.....	.....	S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	500,000	301,765	T1	Dec.	Div. 10% 1939	12-6-40	2 Dec	1 Apr	435 Apr	1.90 Jan	.....	.....	38,600	19,378
.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	Union Brewery, Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.25, a/c 1933 (Nil 1939)	27-5-34	.....	.....	10.80 Apr	4.25 Mar	.....	.....	.....	31,325
										Bonds and Preferences														
.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	5,000	5,000	T100	Dec.	4% for ½ year ended 30 June 1940	29-6-40	10 Apr	10 Apr	120 Sept	85 Apr	.....	.....	2	262
.....	.....	100	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	do. Cum. Pref. 7%	7,500	7,500	T100	Dec.	3½ = $4.89 for ½ year ended 30-9-40	30-9-40	50 Feb	10 Apr	115 Aug	75 Feb	.....	.....	290	320
.....	.....	14	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref	100,000	80,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12 for 1939	30-4-40	14 Mar	13 Nov	14 Feb	12 Jan	.....	.....	2,795	950
.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	Oh. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc. U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	600,000	205,125	T3	Dec.	Quarterly Div. T'ls. 0.10 = $0.14, 1938	30-12-33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	165	160	.....	.....	.....	160	.....	.....	.....	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref	10,000	9,000	T100	Dec.	Div. T'ls. 8 = $11.19, 1939	2-5-40	155 Mar	140 July	160 May	160 May	.....	.....	708	211
.....	129½	129	.....	.....	.....	128½	.....	130.00	128½	S'hai Power Co. T'ls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	230,000	220,000	T100	Dec.	3rd qr. Div. T'ls. 1.50 = $2.0979 (Mkg. $4.1958 a/c 1940)	1-10-40	134 June	112 Aug	138½ Sept	120 May	721	401	41,467	35,285
.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....	Shanghai Tug & Lighter Co., Ltd., 7% pref	10,000	10,000	T50	Dec.	Int. T'ls. 1.75 = 3½% a/c 1940	Pending	62.50 Dec	50 Aug	.....	.....	.....	.....	590	.....
.....	.....	14.20	.....	.....	.....	14.20	.....	.....	.....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3½ = $0.49 for half year ended 30-6-40	27-9-40	15 May	13.50 June	15 May	13½ Apr	.....	.....	2,240	2,400
.....	.....	13½	.....	.....	.....	13½	.....	.....	.....	do. 6½% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3½ = $0.45 for half year ended 30-6-40	27-9-40	14 Apr	12 Aug	14.20 Sept	13.50 Oct	2,970	.....	7,075	6,670
										Cottons														
7.90	8.00	7.90	.....	41	41½	40½	.....	43½	39½	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	2,000,000	1,350,000	T5	Dec.	Fin. Div. $4.00 (Mkg. $5 a/c 1939)	2-5-40	28 Dec	15.60 Jan	82 May	27 July	52,700	183,549	2,844,561	5,624,472
40½	40½	40.00	.....	7.80	7.90	7.75	.....	8.55	7.55	New China Textile Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	1,440,600	$5	Dec.	.....	.....	.....	.....	9.80 Oct	6.10 Oct	62,720	218,195	.....	1,745,935
.....	.....	.....	157½	164	.....	165	.....	.....	.....	Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	240,000	240,000	$50	Apr.	Int. $7.50 a/c 1940-41	Pending	173 Oct	101 Feb	244 May	154 Oct	50	.....	7,075	7,250
.....	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	Tung Yih Spinning & Weaving Co., Ltd.	400,000	355,000	$10	Dec.	Div. $5 & Bonus $5 a/c 1939	3-4-40	43 July	40 July	80 Aug	80 Aug	.....	.....	200	100
.....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	200,000	150,000	$10	June	Div. $7.50 & Bonus $7.50 a/c 1939-40	9-10-40	46 Nov	42 Mar	75 Aug	47 Jan	100	.....	1,000	4,200
										Plantations														
.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	Alma Estates, Ltd.	70,000	70,000	(T'ls. 9)£1	Sept.	Int. Div. $3.00 (Mkg. $3.00 a/c 1939-40)	22-5-40	39.75 Dec	18 Feb	61 May	35 June	200	.....	20,300	23,614
.....	.....	19.60	.....	.....	21½	21½	.....	23½	19½	Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations, Ltd.	400,000	350,000	10s	Dec.	Int. Div. $1.50 a/c 1940	6-8-40	19.60 Dec	8.60 May	34 Feb	8.80 July	23,700	36,480	178,529	547,845
40.00	.....	39½	.....	.....	42½	43	.....	45.00	38½	Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	500,000	496,000	10s	Dec.	Int. Div. $3.00 a/c 1940	23-7-40	41 Dec	13.80 Feb	61 May	18.20 June	79,150	70,250	418,337	1,264,397
.....	.....	7.70	.....	.....	.....	7.50	.....	.....	.....	Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	500,000	335,499	T1	Sept.	Int. Div. $0.20 1939-40	2-4-40	6.75 Dec	3.65 June	11.70 Feb	4.25 Aug	483	.....	27,764	36,130
1.28	.....	1.30	.....	.....	.....	1.38	.....	1.52	1.30	Batu Anam (Johore) Rub, Ests., Ltd.	960,000	960,000	T0.10	Dec.	Int. $0.10 a/c 1940	31-10-40	1.86 Dec	0.87 Nov	2.90 Feb	81 May	8,000	22,000	665,775	1,159,648
.....	.....	7.20	.....	7.00	8.00	7.10	.....	7.70	7.20	Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	500,000	353,698	T1	Dec.	2nd Int. $0.30 (Mkg. $0.60 a/c 1940)	Pending	9.50 Dec	3.10 Jan	15 Feb	6.00 May	.....	3,040	177,195	175,980
.....	2.35	2.35	.....	2.45	2.50	2.40	.....	2.80	2.32½	Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	1,200,000	956,864	T0.10	Dec.	Int. $0.10 a/c 1940	14-11-40	2.90 Dec	1.13 May	5.20 Feb	1.55 May	21,000	14,000	746,946	1,299,097
.....	.....	0.79	.....	0.83	.....	0.84	.....	0.89	0.78	Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	1,095,850	1,051,438	T0.10	June	Div. $0.05 a/c 1939-40	1-10-40	0.92 Dec	0.35 Sept	1.74 Jan	0.50 May	61,000	72,000	1,108,938	4,600,210
.....	.....	7.15	.....	7.55	7.80	7.30	.....	8.00	7.15	Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	500,000	484,837	2/-	Dec.	2nd Int. $0.35 (Mkg. $0.70 a/c 1940)	Pending	8.40 Dec	4.10 May	14.50 Feb	4.95 May	10,078	14,740	289,359	467,985
.....	.....	9.50	.....	9.50	.....	9.50	.....	.....	.....	Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	350,000	260,000	T1	Dec.	2nd Int. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.00 a/c 1940)	Pending	11.60 Dec	5.00 Apr	19.00 Feb	8.95 May	2,000	.....	127,410	152,814
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Gula-Kalumpong Rub. Ests., Ltd.	750,000	665,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 5% 1938 Less I/T (Coupon 35)	6-4-39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3.20	.....	3.20	.....	3.70	.....	3.80	.....	4.05	3.20	Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests., Ltd.	850,000	750,000	2/-	Dec.	Int. $0.25 a/c 1940	30-7-40	5.55 Dec	2.07½ Apr	7.70 Feb	2.15 July	23,000	9,000	1,095,155	855,271
.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	Kapayang Rubber Estates Co., Ltd.	15,000	14,800	T10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1937) (Nil 1939)	21-3-38	24.50 Dec	16.90 Nov	40 May	18.00 July	.....	.....	3,383	2,300
.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....	5.75	.....	6.20	5.90	Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	500,000	461,804	T0.75	June	Fin. $0.55 (Mkg. $1.00 a/c 1939-40)	Pending	5.90 Dec	2.50 Apr	10.10 Feb	4.00 May	5,195	9,130	529,966	546,794
2.60	2.70	2.65	.....	2.85	2.90	2.83	.....	3.15	2.62½	Kroewock Java Plantations, Ltd.	2,200,000	2,200,000	T0.10	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.25 a/c 1940	26-7-40	3.37½ Dec	1.13 Jan	4.70 Feb	1.30 June	109,500	139,200	1,971,250	4,028,660
27.00	27½	27½	.....	.....	.....	28½	.....	31½	26.00	Langkat	300,000	250,000	Gs.10	Oct.	Int. Guilders 0.14. Fin. Guilders 0.18 a/c 1939	14-5-40	28.75 Dec	8 Feb	47½ May	12.50 July	55,700	73,256	348,387	1,621,556
.....	.....	2.80	.....	.....	.....	2.70	.....	2.90	2.70	Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	500,000	500,000	T1	Apr.	Fin. $0.30 (Mkg. $0.44 a/c 1939-40)	20-8-40	3 Dec	0.94 Apr	5.20 Feb	1.68 June	15,000	5,275	438,250	703,526
.....	.....	1.28	.....	.....	.....	1.28	.....	.....	.....	Permata Rubber Ests., Ltd.	350,000	317,219	$1	Oct.	Int. Div. $0.08 a/c 1939-40	27-6-40	1.90 Dec	0.73 Mar	3 Feb	0.90 May	1,000	.....	92,550	321,850
.....	.....	1.28	.....	1.44	1.60	1.42	.....	1.48	1.28	Repah Rubber & Taploca Ests., Ltd.	1,350,000	1,350,000	T0.10	Dec.	Int. $0.10 a/c 1940	Pending	1.56 Dec	0.73 Mar	2.60 Feb	0.81 July	63,500	19,000	370,558	1,955,711
9.60	9.80	9.55	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	11.20	9.50	Rubber Trust, Ltd.	25,000,000	1,082,000	T1	Sept.	Int. $0.60 a/c 1939-40	29-5-40	8.60 Dec	3.20 Feb	16.30 May	6.20 July	15,600	83,816	756,025	1,760,410
1.60	1.64	1.62	.....	1.72	.....	1.74	.....	1.96	1.60	Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	6,000,000	1,011,000	T0.10	Sept.	Int. Div. $0.15 (a/c 1939-40)	24-5-40	2.30 Dec	0.75 Feb	3.55 May	1.28 June	50,500	13,250	271,575	855,635
.....	.....	.....	1.38	1.46	1.60	1.44	.....	1.50	1.46	Semambu Rubber Ests., Ltd.	900,000	900,000	T0.10	Dec.	Int. $0.10 a/c 1940	Pending	1.82 Dec	0.74 May	3.10 Feb	0.85 May	22,000	10,000	455,180	686,195
.....	1.54	1.50	.....	1.58	1.80	1.58	.....	1.78	1.50	Senawang Rub. Ests. Co. (1921), Ltd.	1,140,000	1,140,000	T0.10	Jan.	Fin. Div

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Hongkew Shootings:
No Excuse Whatever

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Every effort should be made by all the policing agencies of the foreign districts of Shanghai in conjunction with the Japanese authorities to put an end to the murders of Japanese soldiers and officers in Hongkew. If this sort of thing goes on the Japanese will certainly make some drastic move for the protection of their men that will lead to unpleasant consequences for everybody, and who can blame them?

This is not the way to fight a war. In case some organized anti-Japanese agency is behind these frequent killings, which is probable. Whether the Japanese military have any business in Hongkew or not is beside the point. They are not there of their own choice, but as soldiers of their country and sovereign doing their duty as ordered. There is no more excuse for murdering them than there was for murdering Samuel Chang. Any such affair may constitute the long-apprehended "incident" that may have dire results. It is to the interest of the foreign communities as well as the Japanese to stop these Hongkew killings and no effort should be spared by anybody concerned to do so.

Marc T. Greene

Shanghai, Nov. 13.

War Films:
Private Showing Wanted

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I wonder if it will be possible to have here in Shanghai showing of the war films privately as news reels are being shown. Many good films such as "Escape," "Mortal Storm," "Four Sons" and many others will not be seen here in cinemas because of the conditions in Shanghai. So I hope that some private showing might be arranged or some club or society be formed where these films might be shown.

I know it will cost a lot. Surely some arrangement might be made, or must the majority of Shanghailanders miss these films altogether or see them many years later or when they leave Shanghai?

L. I. G.

Shanghai, Nov. 14.

I.C's. Thanks:
Clothes for Refugees

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Permit me to use some space of your valued columns to tender my most sincere thanks to all evacuees and Shanghailanders for the wonderful response to my appeals of the last two weeks which were published through the courtesy of your paper, and to my requests "In the name of sweet charity."

Although I have sent letters of appreciation for all the kind contributions to everyone who donated to our Clothing Fund and to the other funds as well, there have been some who simply put their donation on our table refusing to give their names and left our office immediately, because they did not wish to be thanked for their kindness.

To all these, too, this letter shall convey my thanks and appreciation. on my behalf and on behalf of the refugees who have been grateful for every piece of clothing we were able to distribute amongst them.

This letter is not in any way intended to be a new appeal—although we badly need still more—all I wish to say, is: "Thank you very, very much for all your contributions, for your generous assistance, for your endeavours and the bother you had when packing and sending your parcels, thank you for the friendly welcome you accorded to our messengers, and thank you for all you might be able to do for our Funds in the future!"

Paul Komor
Hon. Secr. "I.C." Organization for Immigrants.

Shanghai, Nov. 14.

Another Divorce for Constance Bennett

Reno, Nov. 15.

Miss Constance Bennett, famed film actress, yesterday divorced her third husband, the Marquis Henri de la Falaise de la Coudraye, after a brief hearing here.—United Press.

TO-DAY'S RADIO

Short Wave Newscasts

midnight	London	25.53 m.	11.75 mc/s
midnight	"	31.55 m.	9.51 mc/s
2.00 a.m.	"	25.53 m.	11.75 mc/s
4.45 a.m.	"	25.53 m.	11.75 mc/s
4.45 a.m.	"	31.32 m.	9.58 mc/s
5.45 a.m.	"	25.36 m.	11.83 mc/s
6.45 a.m.	"	25.53 m.	11.75 mc/s
6.45 a.m.	"	31.32 m.	9.58 mc/s
4.30 p.m.	"	19.60 m.	15.31 mc/s
4.30 p.m.	"	19.82 m.	15.14 mc/s
4.30 p.m.	"	25.53 m.	11.75 mc/s
5.45 p.m.	"	19.82 m.	15.14 mc/s
7.00 p.m.	"	16.84 m.	17.81 mc/s
9.00 p.m.	"	16.84 m.	17.81 mc/s
6.30 a.m.	Manila	31.35 m.	9.57 mc/s
6.35 p.m.	"	31.35 m.	9.57 mc/s
8.45 p.m.	"	31.09 m.	9.65 mc/s
8.45 a.m.	S. Francisco	19.57 m.	15.33 mc/s
8.30 p.m.	"	31.02 m.	9.67 mc/s
7.45 p.m.	Australia	31.20 m.	9.61 mc/s
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2.00 Light Music
3.30 Dance Music
4.30 Chinese Programme in Mandarin and Shanghai dialect
6.00 Spanish Programme
6.30 News in Hindustani
7.00 French News and Commentary
7.45 News in English
8.00 Movie Memories—3
8.30 The Works of Franz Lehar
9.00 "Empire Tour"—Musical selections from the British Empire
9.30 Topical Talk..."Social Service in England"
9.45 Dance Music
11.30 Russian Programme
11.00 Peter Adam's German Programme
11.30-12 Dance Music

Foreign Language Broadcasts

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German.—Every day at 1.30 and 11
Hindustani.—Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat. at 6.30
Hungarian.—Sunday at 6
Italian.—Wednesday at 6
Netherlands.—Tuesday at 6.30
Polish.—Monday and Thursday at 6
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Spanish.—Saturday at 6

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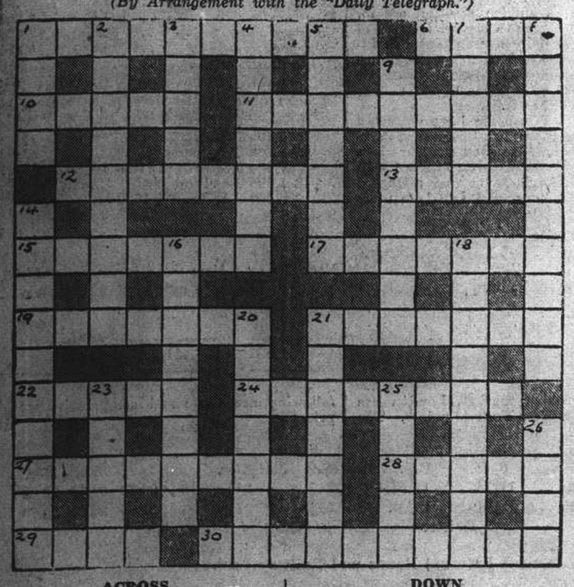
1.15 Children's Hour
4.30 Light music.
5.30 Chinese lesson for foreigners.
5.50 French lesson for Chinese students.
6.10 Chinese music.
6.15 News in Chinese (Shanghai dialect).
6.30 Chinese music.
6.35 News in Chinese (Mandarin).
6.50 Light music.
7.20 Music by Russian composers.
7.30 News in Russian.
7.45 Music by Russian composers.
7.50 Light music
8.00 Causerie by Mme Claude Rivière: *Various types of modern fighting planes. Great Britain:* Blenheim. Vickers, Wellington, Hurricane, Spitfire, Defiant, Gladiator, etc. *Germany:* Heinkel, Messerschmidt, Dornier, etc.
8.15 Light music.
8.30 News in French.
8.45 Light music.
9.00 News in English.
9.30 Concert:

Chopin-Liszt: Chopin: Sonata in Si flat; Liszt: St. Francis walking on the waves; Liszt: Fantasy and fugue; Liszt: Preludes. Chopin: Polonaise in La flat; Liszt: The Funeral; Liszt: Mazeppa.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE No. 349

(By Arrangement with the "Daily Telegraph.")



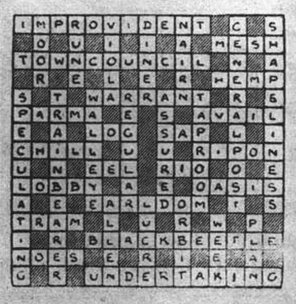
ACROSS

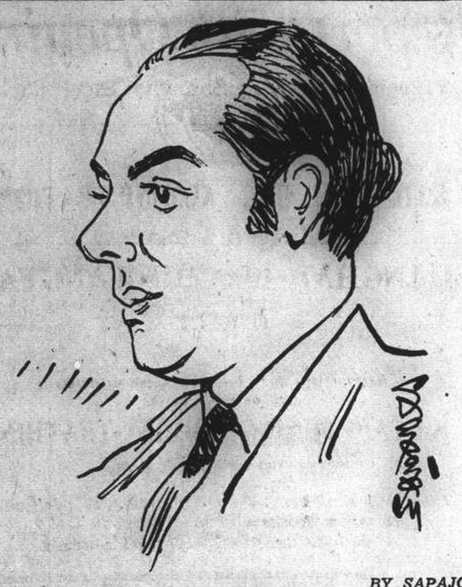
1 Never took at your troubles through this
6 This market is in Suffolk
10 An illuminating link with the past?
11 Will, perhaps
12 A word or two may go a long way in this form
13 An expert on hoardings
15 You should easily see through this
17 Fester
19 Did he express his partisanship in flowery language?
21 The home of this holy man is obvious
22 Fish
24 How ingenuous to find a place of refreshment with not a single halfpenny
27 Keeping up to the usual level
28 A light weight of the animal world
29 The R.A.S.C. can tell you a whole heap about this
30 Ostentation of style

DOWN

1 A little thing but it needs a volume to make it
2 Bid a fish come in and no doubt the ships will follow
3 Pigment
4 Bed and lake make a circle
5 Posters make work for him
7 This may come straight from the head
8 An asset to the bathing pool (two words)
9 Cornish town
14 Wherein, in a school, all classes mingle without distinction
16 "Is ha harm" (anag.)
18 This is the possession of the immediate future
20 Slight impression of a quartette in a law case
21 Kind of boss
23 This shatters the calm
25 This will contain any number of people
26 Refuse with possible grounds for complaint

SOLUTION OF CROSSWORD PUZZLE No. 348





BY SAPAJOU

Mr. Josef Schwarcz

A young artist from Vienna who is opening tomorrow an exhibition of paintings at the Modern Home.

CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—November 17.—26th Sunday after Trinity. 8. a.m Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 10.30 a.m. Choral Eucharist. Psalm: 150. Ireland in C. Hymns: 299, 300, 690. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L.Th. (Choral Eucharist at 10.30 a.m. will be broadcast from Cathedral over XMHC., 700 kc.) 10.30 a.m. Children's Service. Preacher: Rev. G. A. Scott. 3 p.m. Sunday School—Cathedral Girls' School. 6 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. Psalm: 84. Lessons: Proverbs 24, 23-end; Luke 23, 26-end. Hymns: 280, 224, 215, 20. Preacher: Rev. P. C. Matthews, M. A. 6 p.m. Bubbling Well Chapel: Preacher: The Dean. (Intercession prayers will be broadcast daily from Cathedral over XMHC., 700 kc., at 12.10 p.m.)

Union Church. — (International and Interdenominational) 107 Soochow Road (near the British Consulate-General). Officiating Minister: Rev. C. Wilfred Allan.—10.20, Prayer-meeting in the Vestry: 10.30, Children's Morning Service in the Church Hall: 10.45, Morning Worship. Preacher, Rev. Alex. Baxter; 3, Sunday School at 1222 Avenue Joffre. Tuesday, 7.30 meeting of Tuesday Evening Club in the Church Hall. Mr. F. W. Poate on "Tales of Old Engineers."

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Evening Prayer in English at six o'clock Preacher: Rt. Rev. W. P. Roberts

Church of the Air Programme.
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Sunday, Nov 17
10.00: XMHD Service (Rev. Charles Wilson).
19.45 Sermon Dr. Bob Jones.
20.00: XMHD., Sacred Concert.
20.30: Gospel Service (Rev. A. H. Reinhard).
21.00: Russian Evangelistic Service and Music.
Wednesdays, Nov. 18-23.
8.30: Thought for the Day (Rev. G. A. Jacobson).
12.45 "N.C.D.N." News Broadcast
13.00: Devotional Service and Song
17.00: Classical and Popular Music
20.00: Sacred Concert
20.30: Gospel Service and Song
21.00: "N.C.D.N." News Broadcast
21.30: Russian Service (Tuesday)
Noonday speakers Mr. W. McDowall, Dr. H. G. C. Hallack, C.I.M. Friends Miss Edith Sourling. All are cordially invited to "Tune In."

Saint Joseph's Church (Rue Montauban) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6. 7, 8.15 and 10.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7.30 a.m.

Sacred Heart Church (260 Nanzing Road) Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7 a.m.

Saint Peter's Church (Avenue Dubail) Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8, 9.15, 11 a.m. Benediction at 3.30 and 6.45 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.15, 6, 6.45 and 7.30 a.m.

Saint Theresa's Church (370 Tatung Road) Sunday. Masses at 6.15, 7, 8 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weewdays: Masses at 6.15 7 a.m.

Our Lady's Church (694 Baikal Road) Sunday Masses at 6.30; 7.15; and 8.30 a.m. Benediction of Blessed Sacrament at 3 p.m. Weekdays Mass at 7 a.m.

Saint John Bosco's Church (740 Hangchow Road) Sunday Masses at 7, 8, 9 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekday Masses at 6.30 a.m.

Russian Catholic Church 235A ltue Bourgeat Sunday Mass at 9 a.m. Weekdays at 6.45 a.m.

Church of St. Aloysius Gozaga (734 Kiaochow Road) Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30 6 and 6.30 a.m.

Church of Christ the King (235 Rue Bourgeat) Masses on Sunday at 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. a.m. Benediction at 6.30 p.m. Masses weekdays at 7 and 8 a.m. Catechism classes every Saturday at 9 a.m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Shanghai 1647 Avenue Road:—Sunday Service 11 a.m. Subject: "Mortals and Immortals." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 2.30 to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 2.30 to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Shanghai Free Christian Church (Evangelical) 5 Tifeng Road. The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. H. A. Dykstra. 3 p.m. Sunday-school and Bible Class. Evening at 6 o'clock by Mr. R. F. Ament. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. Tuesday 8 p.m. Second Advent Testimony Meeting. Subject: "Some details of the Great Tribulation." Speaker,—Mr. J. A. Eggo.

Community Church.—Dr. John Lyon Caughey will preach in Community Church Sunday at 11 a.m. on the theme, "The things which connot be spoken." Mr. R. V. Dent will be at the organ. The choir will sing, "O Thou, the Central Orb" by Wood, and Bella Resek will sing "Gloria" by Buzzi-Peccia. The offering for benevolences at this service will be used to provide warmth for refugees during the winter. At 9 a.m. a Bible Class for the builders of the new building will meet. The Church School will meet at 9.30 a.m. The Young People will meet at 5 p.m. The Navy Y.M.C.A. will have its programme for Service Men at 6 p.m. with Chaplain H. R. Trump as speaker.

Endeavourers Church.—Morning service will be held at 9.15 a.m. in the hall of the Shanghai Free Christian Church. 5 Tifeng Road near Jessfield Road. The speaker will be Rev. Edgar Woods. Mid-week prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in room 305, Missions Building, 169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.

Bethesda Gospel Hall—(International) 729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai Gospel Services, are held in: German: on Sunday Breaking of Bread Meeting at 5.30—4.30 p.m. on Sundays Bible Class. at 5-6 p.m. on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4-5 p.m. English: on Tuesday Prayer Meeting at 5.30-6.30 p.m. Chinese: on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10-11.30 a.m. on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30-4 p.m. on Thursdays Prayer Meeting at 6-7.30 p.m. on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30-7 p.m.

Foreign Y.M.C.A.—Informal Sunday evening service, 6 p.m. in the junior division room, (Mezzanine Floor). Speaker. Mr. A. G. Phillips All welcome.

Society of Friends (Quakers)—A meeting for worship to which all are welcome will be held at 6 p.m. on Sunday, in room D at the Foreign Y.M.C.A., 150 Bubbling Well Road.

"Teutonic Efficiency"

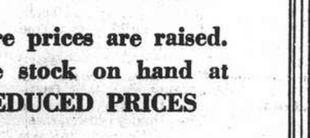
Washington, Nov. 15.

Commenting on the series of explosions in New Jersey factories on Tuesday, Colonel Henry Stimson, Secretary of War, said yesterday that they "might have suggested Teutonic efficiency." Beyond this suggestion there was no indication of sabotage he added.—Reuter.

Seventy Years Ago

From the "North-China Daily News" of November 16, 1870

The Hongkong shore end of the Northern cable to connect with Shanghai was laid on October 21. His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor, and some of the leading inhabitants, were invited to attend the ceremony, which in all other respects was a purely private affair, no journalists being invited, nor was a public announcement of the event vouchsafed. It is said that this privacy was observed in consequence of orders from home. The Cella, with a further portion of the cable, reached Hongkong on October 23. The work of submerging is progressing.



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NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS

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IMPARTIAL NOT NEUTRAL

A GOOD WEEK

The fact that the British fleet air arm has made a second night attack on Taranto clearly indicates that it is the intention of the authorities to give the Italians little, or no opportunity to salvage the vessels so badly damaged. Incidentally it is to be noticed that the Italians allege that the British claims as to damage inflicted are exaggerated, and promise a statement on the subject at some future date. It is necessary sometimes to take a little time in perfecting prevarication. What this week has clearly shown is that Great Britain is now bent on prosecuting this war in the Mediterranean as energetically as she has been waging her air war with Germany. That is a highly popular decision on the part of the Government, and the first strokes which have been dealt Italy should serve to impress upon Mussolini that no matter how much he may claim to have control of *Mare nostrum*, the British are very much on the spot, and that the assistance which they are rendering Greece will continue with ever increasing strength.

British incursions into the mouth of the Adriatic, involving the destruction of an Italian convoy destined for Albania, show that even in those narrow waters Mussolini is not having it all his own way, while the manner in which the Greeks have been able to fight off the first Italian attacks, inflicting considerable loss upon the enemy, clearly proves that they will with the assistance of Britain give more than a good account of themselves. For the maintenance of communications with Libya there still remains a fair sized Italian fleet, though now sadly deficient in capital ships. It is reported that in Africa as a result of the Taranto episode the situation there has improved exactly as it has in the Adriatic. The capture of Gallabat in the Sudan, small as its influence may be compared with the general dimensions of the strategic plan has its own significance. Then too the continued British naval and air attacks against Benghazi and Tobruk in Libya must be even more disturbing to Italian *moral*.

Successful hindrance of Italian communications in the Mediterranean may lead to the consumption of oil and water, which have been accumulated for the support of the Italian troops, at a pace faster than they can be transported to the scene of action, and should that prove to be the case the plight of the Italian armies, already held up in their intended invasion of Egypt, would indeed become parlous. As Reuters' military correspondent points out it is too soon to be optimistic about the British situation in the Middle East, but the general effect of the operations of the past week has been to improve the position, giving ground for belief that a continued aggressive prosecution of the war against Italy may be as productive of good results in the future as they have done up to the present.

It may well prove to be the case that Mussolini's decision to attack Greece was the next big mistake after his entry into the war. Coming in when the German campaign against France was all but completed, Mussolini hoped to share in the spoils of the German victory at small cost to himself. He is now being shown that his attempt to overrun Greece may also prove to be a much more expensive undertaking than he originally contemplated, while it has also had the effect of bringing British air bases now being established in the Grecian islands well within striking distance of southern Italy. That Brindisi, Taranto and Otranto have already been brought to realize. Other naval and military bases will in their turn have the same experience, while all Italy will eventually know that the cheap, short war which the dictators have been promising their countries will turn out to be a long, costly struggle by the time they have been brought to enquire the Allies' terms for peace.

A WIDE GAP

The list of buildings damaged in London by the German air-raids clearly proves that between the British and the German ideas of what constitute military objectives there is a very wide and unbridgeable gap. Fourteen well known hospitals, numerous famous churches, including Westminster Abbey and three cathedrals, St. Paul's, Canterbury and Liverpool, the British Museum, the Law Courts, the Tate Gallery, Somerset House and Harrow School are amongst the notable buildings which have been damaged to degrees which have not been made public, though it is assumed that, had any of them been harmed to any extent nearing demolition, the British Government would not have hesitated to have admitted it, even if only for psychological reasons. It is known that in addition to the foregoing the northern bastion of the Tower of London has been damaged, while throughout the country thousands of homes of civilians have been destroyed and thousands of men, women and children, overwhelmingly non-combatant, have become casualties.

The only possible reason why the Germans resort to this display of *Kultur* is that the British anti-aircraft have induced in German airmen such a healthy respect that, in order to save their own skins as much as possible, they have to fly so high that their bombing cannot be at all accurate, while it is also known that bombers, and fighters carrying bombs drop their loads anywhere on sighting British machines, and streak off for home as fast as they possibly can. That accounts for the fewer casualties inflicted upon the German air force now as compared with a couple of months ago, and what has happened is that the German command, finding mass formations much too vulnerable, have resorted to this hit and run method in order to conserve their air strength as much as possible. It could have been thought that by this time Hitler would have realized that, as it was shown in Spain, the idea of using the air force for the purpose of striking dismay into the hearts of the people, and thus ruin their *moral* has nothing to support it. But he has shown himself to be the victim of the *idée fixe* of which he is unable to rid himself.

As a distinct contrast to this the British bombing of military objectives in Germany and the occupied territories stands out prominently. A few days ago a report was issued showing the great activities Britain had maintained in the air against the enemy in the course of which hundreds of raids have been directed against the industrial districts of Germany, assembling yards, junctions and the ports from which Hitler hoped to launch his fond scheme for the invasion of Britain. Even the attack on Munich was against important railway lines, locomotive sheds and sorting yards, and the fact that these happened to be near the public house, where Hitler was making one of his typical speeches, was purely incidental, though had it been hit and he destroyed there could have been no real ground for indignation after the deliberate attacks upon the residence of the British monarchs.

There is another difference between the British and German attitude vis-à-vis of these bombings, and that is that while the British authorities at their own time are prepared to reveal generally what damage has been done to non-military objectives, the Germans are still sticking to fairy tales about British bombs dropping in fields, injuring a cow, or perhaps an ass, but adhering firmly to the lie that British airmen have done little or no military damage. It does not in any way serve to mislead the British people because so many hundreds of thousands, if not millions of them along the South Coast can see practically nightly for themselves the results of the bombing of the French Channel ports occupied by the enemy. They will reason with the whole of their fellow subjects, that, if the British aviators can be so accurate there, they must also have been over objectives further in the interior of Germany. Thus while the Germans openly admit of their air-raids as taking the form of reprisals, Mr. Churchill despite popular clamour has refused to be diverted from the essential task of destroying German areas producing war materials. British inroads into Germany are extending constantly, and, while German civilians may escape much that the British are so calmly enduring, they are nevertheless having it brought home to them that Britain is striking back with ever-increasing force.

The Workers' Part

Addressing a small group of armaments workers, Herr Hitler is reported to have emphasized the importance of the part played by the employees in the factories of Germany in "carrying ing the Reich to victory." Such an exhortation at this stage in the proceedings might appear to outsiders to be a little unnecessary, since the German people have been totally mobilized for war ever since the Nazi system of internal economy was organized, shortly after Hitler's rise to power. Hardly a month has passed since that time during which the workers were not reminded of the importance of their contribution to German expansion, and, therefore, the present reminder may be taken as proof that the German workers' *moral* has suffered considerably as a result of the extensive British air raids in all industrial parts of the country, and that the Führer's advisers considered that conditions were ripe for a "pep talk" from the highest quarters. They probably are. For it should not be forgotten that the German worker has been to all intents and purposes mobilized on a war footing for the last six years, and has had dangled before him the glorious and swift results which must follow his self-sacrifices. Instead of these results, he is now being subtly informed that he must expect a long war—at least one more winter of suffering. Nightly British bombers remind him of the futility of the promises made by his leaders. Instead of triumphal marches into London, he is being fed with sops which make much of diplomatic "successes" of the details of which he is told nothing and which have so far done nothing to lighten his burden. At the time of the Munich and Godesberg conversations between the leaders of the great Powers of Europe, the attitude of the German worker was made clear by the sympathy expressed and noted by all observers with the peace mission undertaken by the late Mr. Neville Chamberlain. The German worker definitely did not want war, but he found it dangerous to say so on account of the parasitic Nazi class which had taken hold of him. His hope—and that a desperate one—was that if war should come, it would be ended quickly. And now his hope has been disappointed. His counter-part in Britain also did not want war, and went to great lengths in supporting the Chamberlain appeasement policy—in spite of the open opposition of many Labour leaders—to make this quite clear. But the British worker is now fully in favour of war; he realises that only victory will enable him to live in the way he believes all free men should live. To achieve victory he has voluntarily surrendered rights his predecessors won constitutionally only after many a hard fight. Of his own free will he is working long and arduous hours. In comparison with the German worker, he has the enthusiasm of the volunteer against the grudging consent of the conscript. There can be little doubt which spirit will win in the end.

ALONG THE HIGHWAYS

Nov. 14.—After carefully placing a field dressing and a sealed capsule of "Vaporal" iodine in our pocket this afternoon, we started on our journey to Yangtszepoo where we had agreed to act as sole arbiter at a flower show. We ignored a suggestion that we call at the insurance office while down town and we arrived at the Garden Bridge without incident, but shortly afterwards, our troubles started: we attacked the Hongkew creek from many directions, but we were eventually compelled to wait our turn at the Yalu Road bridge: it was a long tedious wait, but we found some consolation in the fact that the creek did not smell so "honey-like" as it used to do in days gone by. At long last, we managed to get across the creek and it was not long before we found ourselves entering the premises where the E.W.O. flower show was being held! We were agreeably surprised at the sight that confronted us: the show was much larger than we had anticipated, a large marquee was full of gorgeous plants. There were 143 entries in the various classes and no less than 17 competitors! The class for large flowering chrysanthemums on frames had attracted a large number of entries and what beautiful plants they were! We stroked our field dressing tenderly before we decided on the winners. A huge specimen of the "Nee King Ball" variety received first prize, this plant had 105 blooms open. Lilac lotus and Purple Wei Fong varieties shared the second place, while a light lilac with a few simply gorgeous blooms was third. In a class for "natural" grown plants another pot of Purple Wei Fong gained premier honours: this was as perfect a specimen as we could wish to see, the numerous stems were all tied to a central stake and they were a mass of healthy foliage. We did not count the flowers, but they were numerous. A White "Ear pick" was second and a well grown lilac, third. The "cascade" section also provided a fine display, the first prize going to a plant of huge dimensions. In a class for "any other kind" a well-grown standard single received first place while second went to a mixed medley of varieties grafted on to an Artemisia: if the colour scheme had been better, this plant would have been very attractive. There were many entries in the flowering pot plant and fern sections, a very fine" Crown of Thorns" (*Euphorbia splendens*) gaining first prize in one of the classes. There were other noteworthy plants, too numerous to mention, to be seen and also a collection of vegetables. Looking around the marquee, we found many things of interest. There was a "Hurricane" on view to remind us of the aim of the committee and plenty of good things to eat and drink at the "Gardener's Arms." We like the crest of this hostelry—crossed spade and fork—over the inscription "Dig like H—l." All prizewinning plants were later auctioned and they brought excellent prices after the auctioneer had reminded us of the Jervis Bay and we believe that one lady was bidding against her husband. The total had reached over $1,800 when we stopped counting. One plant was sold for $205. We arrived home safely with the field dressing and iodine intact, and as we view the show in retrospect we feel that all members of the committee that organized it are to be congratulated on the results they achieved.—W.J.K.

COTTON FIELD CLINIC

Negro College Women Devote Vacations

In the back country of the lower Mississippi several hundred Negroes—men, women and children—are watching a dozen Negro women in crisp white uniforms, busily at work under the cottonwood trees. From a white sheeted table, made by laying a door across a pair of sawhorses, a Negro nurse picks up a hypodermic syringe and shoots toxoid into the arm of a five-year-old. That child will never have diphtheria, writes J. D. Ratcliff in the "Survey Graphic." Another nurse, after listening to an old granny describe the malarial chills-and-fever that rack her bones, hands out a supply of quinine. A Negro woman dentist fills teeth in one corner of the grove. In another, a Negro woman doctor takes a blood sample from a strapping young field hand, to be tested for syphilis.

In this cotton field clinic, Negroes are taking the initiative to bring health to their own people. Sponsored by Alpha Kappa Alpha, a sorority of Negro college women, these efficient, devoted workers have for five years been giving medical care where it is desperately needed here in rural Mississippi. They have volunteered their summer vacations to set up clinics in schools, churches, out of doors. Tuskegee sent a Negro public-health nurse, Boston a dentist, Washington a physician. Each is allowed $10.50 a week for board and lodging, and the sorority supplies gasoline for their cars. Otherwise every cent of the $2,500 budget—donated by the sorority's 2,200 members—goes for medical supplies.

The project began in 1935. Moved by accounts of poverty and ill health among the Mississippi share-croppers, the sorority appropriated $1,500 for medical work under the supervision of Dr. Dorothy Boulding Ferebee, a Negro practitioner in Washington.

Dr. Ferebee, whose family has produced several generations of lawyers, studied medicine at Tufts, graduating *cum laude*. From a large number of volunteers she selected eleven assistants. The group planned a central clinic during the summer "lay-by" between cotton chopping and picking. But the planters, suspicious of "outside agitators," refused to allow Negroes to attend unless the clinics were on the plantations, under the owners' watchful eyes.

Mobile Units Introduced

This meant mobile clinics. It meant that doctors and nurses accustomed to hospital facilities would have to use whatever they could carry with them. Yet it proved to be a much better system, reaching isolated people who could never have trekked miles to a central clinic. That summer the six-car caravan covered 5,300 miles, administering 2,000 doses of diphtheria toxin and 3,000 doses of smallpox vaccine.

Dr. Dedwylder, a white man, welcomed the Alpha Kappa Alpha group to Bolivar, for he knew they could tell the story of health in a language their own people would understand. He drew up clinic schedules, tacked them up in advance in stores and on fence posts. Word of the mission's arrival went out over the county; plantation owners told their workers and preachers announced it from the pulpit.

Early in the morning the cars packed with medical supplies and health literature arrive at the spot selected for the day. Many people are waiting. Some have been there since dawn. Most of them have never before had medical attention and are eager for it.

One by one they tell of their pains and "miseries." Youngsters saucer-eyed with fear watch other youngsters submit to vaccination. Expectant mothers are examined and if unusual conditions are discovered word is passed along to one of the county's 130 Negro midwives. Simple dental care is given; badly infected teeth are removed; and each child gets a free tooth-brush and instruction in its use.

Eighty per cent. of the children have diseased tonsils and adenoids. The clinic workers can do nothing about this, because they lack facilities for surgical care, and the county has no hospital for Negroes. The county co-operates, however, in continuing syphilis and malaria treatments after the clinic's summer session is over—with drugs which the sorority group gives the county health office.

The work this year emphasizes malnutrition, from which many adult Negroes and over half the children suffer as a result of their "three M" diet of meal, meat and molasses. The Southern Negro grows cotton to his doorstep and buys the cheapest food at the plantation commissary: thus the shocking paradox of people starving on some of the earth's richest land.

The good these self-sacrificing women have done is now appreciated by alert planters. The group has been invited to other counties and to other states. A fraternal organization in the all-Negro town of Mound Bayou, now health conscious, dropped plans for an office building, using its funds to build a 50-bed hospital. A low-cost health-insurance plan for Negroes is under way. Dr. Thomas Parran, Surgeon General of the U. S. Public Health Service, calls the clinic's achievement one of the greatest jobs of volunteer public health work he has ever seen.

WAR FUND BAROMETER

The Voluntary War Contribution Fund has been open for 134 days and there have been 3,565 contributors. The War Savings Association has been open for 140 days and there have been 892 contributors. The latest totals follow:—

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Pigeon Magic

THE pigeon which flew into Arthur Train's dream had a woman's face and red lips. It settled on Train's wrist, and said: "My name is Wilhelmina."

Next morning Train told his wife the dream. Neither of them had ever known a person named Wilhelmina. That evening they attended a performance by Houdini, whom Train had never seen perform.

Houdini came on the stage, and immediately snapped his fingers. At this signal, several pigeons flew from the wings. One settled on his wrist. Turning towards the audience, and looking directly at Train, Houdini said:
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Washington Silent in British Moves in Far East

State Department Maintaining Close Watch on Developments; Duties of New British G.O.C.

Washington, Nov. 15.

UNITED States Government officials last night declined to comment on the London announcement that British reinforcements have arrived in the Far East to aid in blocking Japan's path of southward expansion.

The State Department, however, was understood to be maintaining a close watch on developments in the Far East, particularly in view of reports that Japan is poised for another southward thrust, possibly at Saigon.

Reflecting the attitude expressed in Boston last night by the Secretary of Navy, Col. Frank Knox, officials here indicated yesterday that the time for talking is past and that America's attitude hereafter will be more clearly seen in concrete actions. Col. Knox, it was recalled, announced in Boston that the Government's new policy would be "not to talk about what we are going to do, but do it."

Within a month, unofficial quarters here pointed out, American women and children in the Far East, who decide to heed Washington's repeated suggestions for evacuation, will have been removed from the Orient.

"The decks then will be clear for action," one unofficial observer pointed out last night. The Government, it is believed here, will feel that it has fulfilled its obligation of warning Americans to leave the Far East after the three special evacuation liners return to the United States next month.

Meanwhile, rumours continued to circulate here to the effect that Britain, the United States and Australia have reached, or are on the verge of reaching, an agreement for joint defence in the Pacific.

Only last week, however, President Roosevelt told the press that reports to that effect from London did not originate in high official quarters. No flat denial of these rumours has been issued here or in London, however.

Thus far no announcement has been made regarding the conference early this week involving Col. Knox, the Secretary of War, Col. Henry Stimson, and the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull. They were understood to have discussed plans for reinforcing American naval and military forces in the Far East, particularly in the Philippines.—United Press.

Defence of Singapore

London, Nov. 15.

Sir Robert Brooke-Popham's appointment as Commander-in-Chief of the Far East is the outcome of the deliberations of committees of the three Services on the best means to coordinate British and Dominions land and air forces for the defence of Singapore, according to the "Daily Telegraph" diplomatic correspondent.

Sir Robert Brooke-Popham will not exercise control over the Naval Commander-in-Chief in China, whose responsibilities extend far beyond the defence of Malaya, the paper comments.—Reuter.

Shushlin Concert At the Lyceum

Accomplished Musician in Fine Voice But Better as Operatic Artist

The dominant impression of Thursday night's concert at the Lyceum is that Mr. Shushlin appears to much better effect on the operatic stage than on the concert platform. The latter demands a totally different technique for, while the ears of the audience are concentrated on the music, their eyes are on the singer the whole time noting every distracting movement he makes. The concert singer must be perfectly disciplined and impersonal; his voice alone must impinge on the audience's consciousness. Mr. Shushlin unfortunately possesses many irritating movements. He swivels his body from side to side and at times covers an alarming amount of the platform. In his last encore of the first half of the programme I lost all interest in the music as step by step he approached the edge of the proscenium. One more step and he must tumble off; will he see his danger in time; he does and I fall back relieved but exhausted into my seat.

No one can deny that Mr. Shushlin has a fine voice and that he is an accomplished musician but he is primarily an operatic singer. The pianoforte is not a fitting accompaniment to the wealth of his tones which require the contrasts of a full orchestra. It is not that he sang the Italian airs unsympathetically but that his voice lost much with the comparatively uncolourful piano accompaniment. "Prince Gremin's Air" was far and away the best of Mr. Shushlin's numbers. He seems to have got inside as it were Pushkin's poetry and the intensity of emotion with which Tschaikowsky surrounds it.

"Sings What is Written"

"Wotan's Farewell and the Magic Fire Music" on the other hand was a sad travesty of Wagner. Mr. Shushlin sang his notes excellently—in fact his greatest asset is that he does sing what is written and not as so many Shanghai singers do, slurr over the difficult passages with easier phrases of their own—but all that he did was undone by the orchestra. Maybe it is not fair to criticize the performance of Slavs and Latins when they are attempting so essentially a Teutonic writer as Wagner but surely they could have left him alone. There is much music in the world without trying something that is so completely beyond their powers.

In the first half of the concert I felt strongly the difficulties of words and language. Mr. Shushlin, like most opera stars, does not give his words a fair enunciation. He sang the Hadyn "Raphael's Air" in English or at least in what sounded nearer to English than any other language. But as he sang it with the words unintelligible, the Air was nonsense. In the Italian and Russian groups an inability to understand the language detracted much from the music's merit. Mr. Shushlin was plainly expressing many varied emotions but what they were I was unable to tell. Had translations appeared in the programme notes they would certainly have added to an appreciation of one or two lovely airs.

The Grieg Sonata was technically sound with both Prof. Zakharoff and Prof. Foa obviously understanding their music but I wonder how many people appreciated it in a concert of vocal music.—G.H.

Japanese Say Holding of Yanchow Unnecessary

Not One Casualty During Withdrawal

The evacuation of Japanese forces from Yanchow on November 13 was linked with the evacuation of Nanning and was carried out without a single casualty being suffered by the Japanese, stated Col. Saito, army spokesman, at yesterday's press conference in Shanghai.

Yanchow was a base, he said, for military operation around Nanning and the evacuation of the latter area made it unnecessary for Japanese forces to hold Yanchow.

Col. Saito said the fact that the enemy were unable to place any obstacles in the way of the evacuation showed to what extent the Chinese strength has been depleted and also showed, he added, that the propaganda emanating from Chungking with regard to these evacuations was entirely without foundation.

In answer to a question, the army spokesman said he was not in a position to comment on reports of Japanese troops being moved to Hainan Island. He said he was also unable to comment on rumours of an imminent southward drive by Japanese forces.

Embezzler Held

Suspected of having stolen about $3,000 worth of ice from his employers, Domhey & Sons in Bubbling Well Road, a Chinese clerk was brought before the First Special District Court yesterday and despite the fact that he pleaded guilty, judgment was reserved pending further investigations. Accused who until recently was in charge of the ice storage of the company was alleged to have made a false report on the output of the firm and secretly sold ice to his own advantage. This theft was said to have been committed last month.

Soviet-Japan Pact Not Expected

Chinese Press Speculate On Hitler-Molotov Talks In Berlin

The Chinese press in Shanghai was filled yesterday with speculative editorial comments regarding the talks in Berlin just concluded by M. Molotov, but in general, the writers agreed that no Russo-Japanese non-aggression talks had been held in Berlin formally asserting that the Berlin parley had to do only with affairs between Soviet Russia and Germany, especially in regard to questions arising from the Italian attack in Greece and the control of Black Sea.

The "Chinese American Daily News" stated that in all the talks held in Berlin none of the Italian and Japanese diplomats was present and that even at the banquet held by the German Foreign Minister in honour of his guest from Moscow neither Italian nor Japanese Ambassadors to Berlin were invited.

The chief aim of Berlin was to settle the question of the Italian aggression in Greece for, the paper pointed out, it was not that Berlin was unwilling to help Italy but that Berlin feared that Moscow would support Turkey in intervening should Germany extend help to Italy. As the hostilities were spreading eastward the writer was of the opinion that Moscow should become more friendly with Berlin than before, mainly for the purpose of keeping Russia out of the war.

In its editorial entitled "Gateway to the Black Sea" the "National Herald" was of the opinion that in the talks held in Berlin, Moscow was chiefly concerned with the Dardanelles. After pointing out the strategic and industrial importance of the Dardanelles, the writer said that "if Soviet Russia were able to control the Dardanelles, she would have no fear of British naval domination of the Mediterranean."

Banks Move Documents

Questioned regarding the report that the branches of the four Chinese Government banks in the French Concession would be moved into the American section in the Settlement, informed Chinese circles stated yesterday that although there was such a probability, it would be a difficult proposal to be carried out in view of lack of a suitable site for the institutions in the crowded Settlement.

The banks showed no signs of removal yesterday but the same circles stated that important documents of the banks had long been moved away. Previous reports to the effect that the four branches of the Government banks here would withdraw from Shanghai have been denied it being asserted that even the Tientsin and Peiping Branches of the Central Bank of China had not moved out.

Unregistered Banks to Be Checked

New Order Issued by Chungking

Orders have now been received by the Shanghai District Chamber of Commerce and Shanghai Bankers' Association from the Ministry of Finance at Chungking stating that non-member and unregistered Chinese native banks, trusts and money-exchange shops which have sprung up in Shanghai during recent months like mushrooms will not be allowed to operate.

The order has been issued in keeping with the Provisional Regulations Governing the Control of Banks during the Extraordinary Period, which provide that those shops engaged in receiving deposits, granting loans and handling remittances and mortgages, though not known as banks, are to be considered as such.

Many of these new institutions in Shanghai have not been registered with the Ministry and they will not be allowed to operate. They are engaged in general banking business, dealing in gold bars, Wei Wah discount and other transactions. Some of them have been applying for registration.

FUNERAL

George Ivor Gordon Gauntlett

In the presence of a large number of friends, funeral services for the late George Ivor Gordon Gauntlett were held Thursday afternoon at The Holy Trinity Cathedral. Dean A. C. S. Trivett conducted the services, assisted by Rev. P. C. Matthews and Rev. F. J. Ottewell and the Cathedral Boys' Choir. The deceased was the eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Gauntlett, prominent residents of this city. He is also survived by two brothers, Ian and Alister. Ivor Gauntlett was born at Edinburgh, Scotland, on August 17, 1923, during a home leave of his parents. He lived in Shanghai until 1932 at which time he went to England with his brother, Ian, to enter school. The past three years were spent at Uppingham School in England and Ivor Gauntlett returned to Shanghai only a short time ago in order to spend a few months with his parents and family before joining His Majesty's Army next year, which was his great ambition. Death claimed him last Wednesday morning at the Country Hospital. The deceased at the time of his demise was attending The Cathedral Boys' School and a number of his classmates were present at the last rites. The casket was draped with a white pall which was decorated with the school colours of Uppingham. A guard of honour consisting of Richard Corfield, James Wilson, Duncan Fraser and his brother, Ian, stood on each side of the casket, upon which rested a beautiful spray of red carnations from "Mum, Dad, Ian, Alie and his adoring relations in the Homeland." In addition to many donations to The Central British War Fund, which will be acknowledged later, floral offerings were received from:—

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Funeral arrangements were under the direction of the International Funeral Directors.

Decree Nisi Granted

A decree nisi with costs against respondent was given by Assistant Judge P. Grant Jones in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday to Mrs. Stella Walker, petitioner for a dissolution of her marriage to Mr. William C. Walker, respondent, in an undefended action.

Petitioner was represented by Mr. K. E. Newman while defendant did not put in an appearance.

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An extract from the missive reflecting conditions in London follows: "The works are carried on fully occupied, so that whilst correspondence is somewhat interrupted (I am dictating this in the air raid shelter at the present moment), it is having very little reaction on the efficiency of the company.

"Naturally there must be a little retardation, and transport to and from the office has been somewhat disorganized, but if Germany thinks by what she is doing now and even if she considerably intensifies it and makes "Old London" inaccessible or impossible for work to carry on, is going to have any effect on the war effort and the ultimate victory which we all consider lies within our grasp, she is very much mistaken."

Decrease of Crime in French Concession

No Political Murders Committed in October

Continuous searches in the French Concession were again responsible for the small number of crimes committed during the month of October. There were four murders during the month, none of these being committed on political grounds. In two of these, the murderers were arrested by the Police.

The first murderer turned out to be a worker, who had killed his employer because the latter refused to pay his salary, and the second was a Korean who, thinking that he was thretened by a group of Chinese, fatally wounded one of them with a knife.

Two kidnapping cases were registered in October, the first being committed in Avenue Petain where a Chinese boy was abducted by several men. The car in which the boy was being carried away was stopped by the Police just as it was leaving the Concession, and the kidnappers were arrested. The Police also seized a pistol, and the boy was returned to his family.

The second case took place in Avenue Dubail where a schoolboy was abducted by an old servant. The boy was taken to a house in Nantao, but was later released when the French Police, in co-operation with the Chinese authorities, arrested the gang.

Seventeen armed robberies were committed during the month, and the Police arrested eighteen men, in addition to seizing two pistols and one dummy revolver. There were only 26 larceny cases, resulting in the arrest of fifteen thieves.

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Warrants Issued for Court Presidents

Chungking Orders Arrest Of Nanking Appointees

Warrants for the arrest of Messrs. Chiao Wan-shuan and Sun Shao-kong, newly appointed presidents of the Third Branch Kiangsu High Court and Second Special District Court in the French Concession respectively, have been issued by the Chinese government, state Chinese reports from Chungking. Both judges were recently appointed by the new Nanking régime when they took over the tribunals in the Concession in Shanghai despite Chungking's protest.

Judges Chiao and Sun were, until Nanking took over the courts, chief procurators of their respective courts. Many judges who withdrew but were at first expected by the new régime to continue their work are reported to have refused to attend hearings.

In the morning on Thursday only one case came up for hearing in one of the courts, but in view of the fact that none of the Chinese municipal advocates attached to the French police appeared to prosecute criminal suspects, the hearing could not be completed. Criminal suspects were later returned to their detention quarters. The same reports say that Nanking will send 20 armed guards to protect the courts.

Robber Near Death

One of the robbers, who participated in the unsuccessful raid at Room 302, 138 Nanking Road, on Thursday when the police engaged the men in a fierce gun battle during which about 40 shots were exchanged wounding a rickshaw puller, may die at any moment. This was revealed yesterday in the First District Court when the accused Wang Ah-fu could not appear to answer the charge. The prosecution asked the court to postpone the hearing indefinitely pending his recovery, the chances of which are very remote. Wang was wounded by three bullets, it was revealed in court. His two accomplices escaped after the shooting affray. The men broke into the room when the occupants were sleeping but some alert persons saw them and raised an alarm. Several policemen near by took up the chase.

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Facing arrest for embezzling $20,000 from his employer, Kiu Pah-dung, a native of Ningpo and 32 years of age, was found dead in room 309 of the Dah Woo Hotel at 343 Avenue Edward VII. When discovered at 3 a.m. yesterday, the body was already cold and it was understood that he had died several hours before.

The suicide left a note in which he explained that he died because he had embezzled money from his employer. This note was found in his pocket.

Police investigations disclosed that the deceased was an accountant with Kong Woo-yong, a Chinese gasoline dealer at 265 Avenue Road. Recently he had embezzled the twenty thousand dollars, the money being spent in gambling houses.

The embezzlement was discovered on November 13 by the proprietor of the gasoline shop and Kiu disappeared the same day. Medical examination revealed that he died of lysol poisoning.

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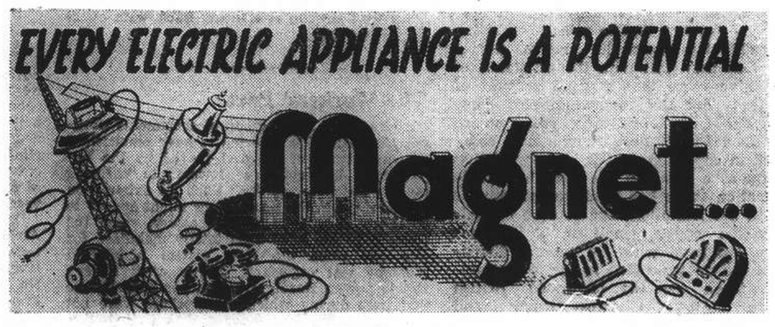

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FROM DAY TO DAY

THE winning ticket of the three bears raffle by the British Women's Association needlecraft section was 124.

THE Rev. Alex. Baxter, of the London Mission, will be the preacher at the morning service at Union Church tomorrow at 10.45.

THE weekly report of refugee work for November 14 follows:—No. of camps under inspection by Public Health Department 13; No. of refugees therein 15,300.

THE bridge-mahjong afternoon sponsored by the Polish Women's Association, planned to take place on Monday has been postponed to a date to be announced later, when tickets already purchased will secure admission.

A MALE beggar was found lying dead in Lane 880 Avenue Edward VII yesterday morning. The body of the deceased, who appeared to be about seventy years of age, was removed by the Shanghai Public Benevolence Cemetery.

MR. Edward Rogers Long, Swedish Consul in Tientsin, died suddenly on November 11. Mr. James Turner, Chairman of the British Municipal Council, has been appointed temporarily to take charge of the Swedish Consulate in Tientsin.

THE officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Philippine Co., S.V.C., are holding an informal tea dance at the Lido ballroom, from 4 to 7.30 p.m., today, in commemoration of the fifth anniversary of the Commonwealth of the Philippines.

A PROPOSED grant of another C$48,000,000 made by the Ministry of Economic Affairs for the promotion of State industries was passed and adopted by the Executive Yuan at its regular meeting held in Chungking on Thursday, it is learned from the "Shun Pao."

AT the next meeting of the Union Church Tuesday Evening Club, to be held in the Church Hall on Tuesday evening next, the speaker will be Mr. F. W. Poate, whose subject will be "Tales of Old Engineers." Supper will be served at 7.30, and the lecture will follow at eight o'clock.

MR. L. D. Carson was fined U.S.$1 in the U.S. Court yesterday by Commissioner N. E. Lurton, for parking his car at a bus stop on Bubbling Well Road on October 20, between the hours of 9.15 and 11 p.m. Mr. Carson pleaded guilty to the charge. Inspector G. Craik prosecuted for the S.M.P.

THE establishment at Nanking of a liaison office of the Japanese Chambers of Commerce and Industry in China was decided during a meeting held at Nanking on Monday with Mr. Kanichi Sato, president of the Nanking Japanese Chamber of Commerce and Industry, and others concerned in attendance, according to the "Shanghai Mainichi."

THE appointment of Mr. Yeh Hsueh-sung, general manager of the "Central China Daily News" as the new director of the Bureau of Public Utilities of the Shanghai Municipal Government under Mayor Chung Kung-po has been announced, states the "Central China Daily News." Mr. Yeh is concurrently the secretary to the reorganized Chinese Government at Nanking.

DR. Bernard E. Read has been asked to broadcast for the Shanghai Anti-Tuberculosis Association today from 7 to 7.30 p.m., on "The Greatest Enemy of Man—Tuberculosis—Suggested Dietary Measures of Protection" from XMHD (through the courtesy of the Shanghai Christian Broadcasting Association) operating on frequency of 760 kilocycles, wave length 395 metres.

MANY judges and procurators formerly attached to the Second Special District Court and the Third Branch of the Kiangsu High Court have left Shanghai for Hongkong with their families, the "Sin Wan Pao" reports. Among them is Mr. Chow Ta-jen, secretary to the Second Special District Court, who turned down an offer from Nanking to be appointed chief procurator to the court.

THE Wayside police station was informed yesterday that a dead Chinese was discovered in Lane 241 Chaofoong Road. The man had committed suicide by hanging himself. He appeared to be about 52 years old and was taken to the Shanghai Sanitarium Clinic where he was pronounced dead on arrival. The motive was not known, although it was presumed that the man was in money difficulties.

MR. Robert W. Barnett, who is associated with the Institute of Pacific Relations, will be the speaker next Friday at the monthly tiffin of the American University Club, in the American Club assembly hall. Mr. Barnett has chosen for his subject "Isolationism in American universities in 1940." Having attended the University of North Carolina and Yale, Mr. Barnett completed his studies in England as a Rhodes scholar.

A CHINESE pedestrian found it impracticable to resist armed highwaymen when he was wounded by one in Lane 895 Ferry Road at 9.45 a.m. yesterday. The wounded man was taken to the Shou Ming Hospital in an S.F.B. ambulance, suffering from a wound in his thigh. The crime took place near Penang Road, the victim being stopped by three desperadoes, who attempted to relieve him of his overcoat. When the victim refused to do so, the highwayman who was armed fired a shot at him, wounding him in the right thigh. The trio then decamped.

PRITAM Singh, an Indian milk vendor, was fined $20 by Mr. C. H. Haines in H.M. Police Court yesterday for selling milk without a licence to Mrs. I. Parness, a Jewish refugee, on October 24, at 116/21 Broadway East. Defendant, who pleaded guilty to both charges, was followed by Inspector G. V. Volchikoff of the Health Department on Baikal Road while taking the milk for delivery. Mr. Haines imposed an additional fine of $10 on defendant for selling adulterated milk containing 7.54 added water. Mr. P. Watkin Williams prosecuted for the Health Department of the Municipal Council.

SHIPPING NEWS

The ss. **Nagasaki Maru**, T.K.K. express liner on the Shanghai-Nagasaki run, left harbour yesterday morning at 8.30, carrying mail and passengers. She came into port on Thursday afternoon, tying up at the company's Wayside Wharf.

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The ss. **Kamakura Maru**, N.Y.K. California-Orient liner, left Shanghai yesterday after an eighteen hour stay in port. She is continuing her westbound trip to Hongkong, having come here from Los Angeles, via San Francisco, Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe.

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The ss. **Hsuchow**, under the charter of the Toa Kaiun Kaisya, which arrived here on Wednesday from Tsingtao, via Haichow, is expected to leave port this morning, after discharging her cargo. The freighter is tied up at the lower buoys 23 and 24. She will sail for the northern ports.

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The ss. **Khai Dinh**, fast freighter of the Messageries Maritimes Company, arrived in port yesterday at noon, after being delayed for 24 hours by bad weather. She came here from Saigon and Manila, with a large shipment of rice for local discharge, besides a quantity of general cargo. She moored alongside the Old Ningpo Wharf, Shanghai side, where she is expected to remain for two or three days while unloading.

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The ss. **President Taft**, trans-Pacific liner of the American President Lines fleet, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Tuesday afternoon, a day early, tying up at the lower buoys 12 and 13. Passengers will be brought ashore by tender. The liner comes here from Manila and Hongkong, and will sail for Los Angeles on the day after arrival. En route to Los Angeles she will call at Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu and San Francisco.

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The dredger **Chuen Shih** of the Whangpoo Conservancy Board moved down the river yesterday to enter a dock for minor repairs. It may be recalled that the Conservancy Board resumed dredging operations in January after an agreement had been reached between the Japanese Consul-General and the Superintendent of the Chinese Maritime Customs. Prior to that no operations had been carried out since the beginning of the Sino-Japanese hostilities here.

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The ss. **Kobe Maru** is due to arrive in port this afternoon at about 3 o'clock, docking alongside the Toa Kaiun Kaisya's Wayside Wharf. The liner, which is operating on the Shanghai-Nagasaki express run, is owned by the T.K.K. She will sail again on her return trip to Japan at 8.30 tomorrow morning, carrying mail and passengers. Registered and ordinary mail and passengers. Registered and ordinary mail for the ship will be closed at the Post Office at 7.30 and 8 p.m. tonight, respectively.

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The ss. **Hoten Maru**, D.K.K. express liner, operating on the Shanghai-Tsingtao-Dairen run, arrived in Shanghai yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, tying up alongside the company's Whangpoo Wharf. The liner, which carries mail and passengers, besides freight, will stay here for two days, leaving again on her return trip to the Northern ports at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Outgoing passengers are requested to embark direct from the wharf at least half an hour before sailing time. Registered and ordinary letter mail for the ship will be closed at the Post Office at 8 p.m. tonight.

Vessels Arriving To-day

The following particulars in connection with vessels due to arrive today are based upon information available yesterday evening.

From NAGASAKI: Kobe Maru, with mail, due 3 p.m., Wayside Wharf.

Due at Future Dates

All vessels are listed under their terminal port. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai. Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited.

On account of the present international situation there is considerable interference with movements of ships, especially those from Europe. In cases where it is definitely known that the vessel is not running to schedule the Shanghai arrival date is omitted.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From Liverpool	
Suwa M	— 25/11

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From New York		From Seattle	
Kansai M	— 24/11	Satartia	— 26/11
Sorholt	— 25/11	C'brook	15/11 7/12
Stl. M'ner	— 29/11		
Bardaland	— 2/12	From Manila	
P van Buren	5/12	P Taft	14/11 20/11
F'field C.	16/10 19/12	C'sworth	17/11 26/11
From Los Angeles		From Kobe	
Wash'ton	— 17/11	Taiyo M	20/11 22/11
Nitta M	7/11 10/12		
T'ta M	16/11 12/12	From Nagasaki	
From Honolulu		S'hai M	16/11 17/11
Nitta M	16/11 10/12		

CHINA PORTS

From Dairen	
D'ren M	15/11 17/11

Vessels Discharging

TANDA. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s ss. Tanda from Australia & Ports. This steamer is discharging Cargo at the Hongkew Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Cargo. Consignees of "Bulk Cargo" will further be required to send their Representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such Cargo whilst it is being landed. Examination of ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Hongkew Wharf on Tuesday, November 19, at 9 a.m. by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy. All Claims against this steamer must be sent in within fifteen days from date of Steamer's arrival, or they will not be recognised. All risks of Fire etc. at the Wharf and Godowns to be borne by the Consignees of the Cargo. Pro. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., Agents. 16-11

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	From	Consignees
Hsuchow	Tsingtao	T.K.K.
Santen M.	Tsingtao	T.K.K.
Anwoo	Hsinkong	Dah Hsing
Foosking	Hsinkong	C.C.T.
Khai Dinh	Manila	M.M.
Kasima M.	Singapore	T.K.K.
Hoten M.	Dairen	D.K.K.

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The undermentioned vessels are due to leave Shanghai on the dates indicated.

For Liverpool		For Seattle	
Suwa M	7/12	Satartia	27/11
For Bombay		Collingsworth	28/11
Anyo M	27/11	For Manila	
Onoe M	4/12	Satartia	27/11
For New York		Sorholt	27/11
Vasaholm	24/11	For Kobe	
Karisal M	25/11	Taiyo M	26/11
Sorholt	27/11	For Nagasaki	
Fairfield City	20/12	Kobe M	17/11
Brageland	24/12	Shanghai M	18/11
For Los Angeles		Nagasaki M	19/11
Washington	21/11	For Dairen	
Tatuta M	13/12	Hoten M	17/11
For San Francisco		Dairen M	19/11
P Taft	21/11	Tsingtao M	22/11
Vasaholm	21/11	Hoten M	25/11
Washington	21/11	Dairen M	27/11
P Cleveland	9/12		
Tatuta M	13/12		

Yesterday's Departures

Name	Flag	Despatcher
Kamakura M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Lungshun	Chi.	Tai Ping
Nagasaki M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Akebono M.	Jap.	Showa S.
Sisen M.	Jap.	T.K.K.
Sungshan M.	Jap.	T.K.K.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Chaumont	Am.	Tr.	B.N.B.
Guam	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Luzon	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
D. de Lagree	Fr.	Gbt.	K.S.D.
Fran. Garnier	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
E Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	1-2 B.
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	1-2 B.

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ANYO MARU ..... Nov. 27
ONOE MARU ..... Dec. 4

Orient-South America Line
West coast ports via San Francisco from Kobe
*SAGAMI MARU ..... Dec. 2
*AZUMA MARU ..... Dec. 20
*Cargo only
RAKUYO MARU ..... Dec. 24

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TATUTA MARU ..... Dec. 13
NITTA MARU ..... Dec. 23

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ss. SATARTIA	sailed	Nov. 26/27	Dec. 1	Dec. 4/14
ss. COLDBROOK	Nov. 15	Dec. 7/9	Dec. 13	Dec. 17/27

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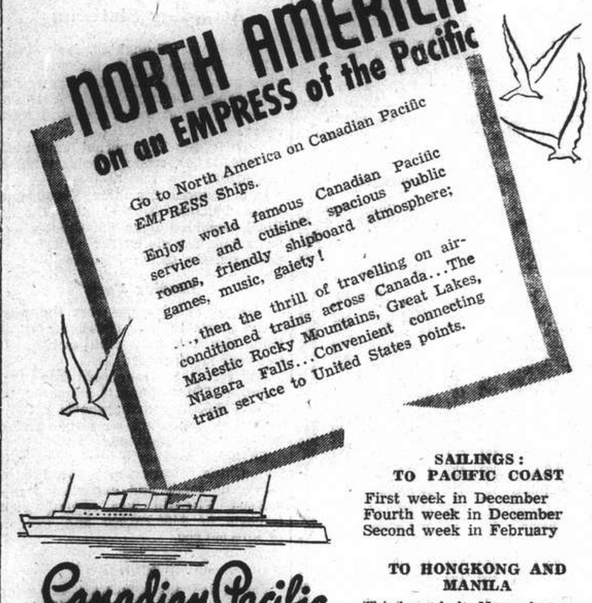

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ss. HOTEN MARU	Nov. 15	Nov. 17 at 9 a.m.
ss. DAIREN MARU	Nov. 17	Nov. 19 at 9 a.m.
ss. TSINGTAO MARU	Nov. 20	Nov. 22 at 9 a.m.
ss. HOTEN MARU	Nov. 23	Nov. 25 at 9 a.m.
ss. DAIREN MARU	Nov. 25	Nov. 27 at 9 a.m.
ss. TSINGTAO MARU	Nov. 28	Nov. 30 at 9 a.m.
ss. HOTEN MARU	Dec. 1	Dec. 3 at 9 a.m.

DAIREN-TIENTSIN LINE (Sailing from Dairen) Departure:
ss. MANZYU MARU ..... Nov. 20 at 3 p.m.
ss. CHOHEI MARU ..... Nov. 22 at 3 p.m.
SHANGHAI-TSINGTAO-TIENTSIN-DAIREN-LINE (Freight only)
ss. KOGA MARU ..... Nov. 23

PRESIDENT LINER Sailings

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT
ss. WASHINGTON
Will leave Shanghai on Wednesday, November 20, for San Francisco via Manila. The last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 12 o'clock noon.
Boarding tenders ..... 10 a.m.
11 a.m.
12 noon
ss. PRES. TAFT
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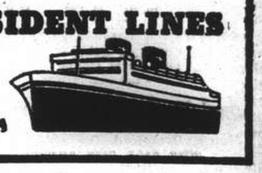

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GYOKO MARU ..	Dec. 24		

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U.S. $100 @ 5⅛	$1,702.13
Yen 25	$100
Guilders 11	100
Rupees 20⅞	100
Pesos 11¾	100
Hongkong $24⅞	100

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 3⅞d.	$ 61.93
U.S. $100 @ 6⅛	$1,649.00
London—demand, $1=	3⅞d.
4 months' sight credits	3⅞d.
4 months' sight docts	3⅞d.
6 months' sight credits	3⅞d.
6 months' sight docts	4d.
New York—demand, $100=	U.S. $6⅛
4 months' sight credits	U.S. $6⅛
4 months' sight docts	U.S. $6⅛

NEW YORK/LONDON CASH RATES

£1=U.S. $4.04 U.S. $1=59.41d.

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INTER BANK CASH DELIVERY

£	Highest 3⅛	Lowest 3⅛
U.S. G.$	5⅛	5⅛

MERCHANT CLOSING RATES

	SELLING	BUYING
	Nov.	Nov./Dec.
£ T.T.	3⅛	4 m/s. l.c. 3⅛
G.$ T.T.	5⅛	4 m/s. l.c. 6⅛
Rs. T.T.	21	15 d/s. 21½

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NEW YORK/LONDON CASH RATES

New York closing rate for Nov. 14	4.04
Local Sellers of U.S.$ against £ at the close	3.76½
Local buyers of U.S.$ against £ at the close	3.77½

The market opened on the basis of yesterday's closing rates. Business throughout the day was very quiet, rates maintained a steady to firm tendency due to a little speculative selling. The market closed quiet without any particular feature, at:—

3⅛	Sterling	5⅛	U.S.$. Cash/Nov.
3⅛	"	5⅛	" Dec.

Foreign Exchanges

Closing, Nov. 14.

Bombay Rupee T. T. on:

Japan	81¼	London	1/5⅛
New York	333	2 mths	
Shanghai	23⅛	" sellers	1/5⅛
Hongkong	84¼	" buyers	1/5⅛
		Japan 2 mths	
		" sellers	82¾
		" buyers	77

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	402.50	Bombay	1/6
Madrid	37.70	Hongkong	1/3⅛
Berne	17.30	Singapore	2/4⅞
Bel. Co'go	176½	Yokohama	1/2⅛
Shanghai	4d.	" buying	1/2

New York U.S.$. T. T. on:

Berlin	4.04	Japan	23.45/48*
Spain	9.25 N.	Shanghai	6.05
Italy	5.06 N.	Hungary	19.50†
S'zerland	23.21	Rumania	0.50
Sweden	23.86	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Montreal	91.000	Finland	2.00
Brazil	5.05	Manila	49.81

London	4.04
Buenos Aires Paper	29.78
" " " market rate	23.70
Montreal on London	4.64⅜

N—Nom. *—Offered †—Quoted.—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London:	Nov. 14.	
Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	1⅛%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2⅛%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3⅛%
Call money		⅛%
New York:		
Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months		0⅛%B 0⅛%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months		0⅛%F 0⅛%A
Call money		1%

B—Bid A—Asked.—Reuter.

Szechuan's Tung Oil Industry

Chungking, Nov. 14.

Next Spring a large-scale expansion of Szechuan's tung oil industry will be undertaken in accordance with the Five-Year Plan, it was officially announced here today.

Eighteen million new trees are to be planted within the next five years, which will give the province a total of fifty six million trees capable of producing a million piculs of oil annually.

Five new extension stations will be created with the financial assistance of the Foreign Trade Commission. The latter will establish the necessary oil cracking plants.—Havas.

U.S. Electricity Production Down

New York, Nov. 14.

The Edison Electric Institute yesterday reported that production of electricity last week totalled 2,719,501,000 kilowatt hours.

The figure was 14,901,000 hours less than the preceding week's production but 205,813,000 kilowatt hours more than production for the corresponding week in 1939.—United Press.

Silver Quotations

London, Nov. 15.

Silver prices were fixed ⅛d. lower today compared with yesterday's levels.

	Nov. 14.	Nov. 15
London spot	23⅛d.	23⅛d.
" forward	23⅛d.	23⅛d.
" good	168/-	168/-

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Early short covering brought an immediate reaction to the market yesterday, which, in spite of week-end liquidation by longs, recovered the major part of the losses of the previous day. Several issues were outstanding, notably Docks and Metals, while Wheelocks closed at their high point. Good buying was noted throughout the list, particularly in the cheaper shares, while rubbers had their fair share of the market's comeback. It can safely be said that the turnover was large and that there was a definitely optimistic feeling at the close.

Official Averages

High	Low		Today's Average	Change
456.55	105.32	General	287.94	+7.01
485.40	95.55	Rubbers	292.06	+0.57

Total 532,388 shares, 180 onds.

Morning Session

China Finance				1000	0.96
Yangtsze Finance				4500	12.80
	500	12.90	1500 12.50	500	12.60
	6000	12.70	500 *12.80	500	*12.70
	1000	13.00			
S'hai Loan			2000 28.25	1000	*28.50
	1500	28.50	500 *28.25	1000	28.75
	500	29.00	500 28.75		
I. I. Trust			8500 22.75	5000	23.00
	2500	*22.50	1500 *22.75	4500	23.00
	2000	*23.00	3000 22.75	500	22.50
	500	*22.50	1000 23.00	1000	22.75
	2000	23.00			
S'hai Securities			1500 *4.95	500	*4.90
	3500	4.90	3500 4.85	500	*4.85
	1000	4.80	4500 4.95	2500	4.90
	1000	5.00			
China Realty			1000 7.20	500	7.30
	2000	7.20			
Central Prop.					
S'hai Land			800 11.10	1000	*11.10
	6500	11.20	500 *11.20	2000	11.30
	500	11.50	1000 11.30		
Dockyards			3900 32.25	4500	32.50
	300	*32.50	800 *32.25	1000	32.00
	400	*32.00	2400 31.75	400	*32.00
	2400	32.00	800 *31.75	2300	32.00
	200	*32.00	2000 32.25	1800	32.50
	2700	32.75	5100 *33.00	200	33.00
	7300	32.75	200 *32.50	200	*32.75
	1700	33.00	1600 33.25	800	*33.25
	100	*33.00	2800 33.50	200	33.25
	200	*33.25	2000 *33.50	4100	33.25
	200	*33.50	1600 33.50	200	*33.75
	300	33.50			
Ewo Brewery			7000 6.75	500	*6.70
	1500	6.80	3000 6.75	2500	6.70
	9000	6.75	2000 6.80	500	*6.70
	500	6.75	1000 6.65		
Wheelock			1800 91.50	4200	92.50
	3100	92.00	300 *91.00	1300	91.00
	1300	*92.50	800 *92.00	100	92.50
	600	*92.00	100 *92.50	3800	92.00
	100	91.50	100 *91.50	800	92.50
	1000	*92.50	2400 93.00	300	92.50
	700	*92.50			
Ewo Mills (Ord)			600 40.50	4400	40.75
	3800	41.00	300 *40.75	100	*41.00
	1200	41.25	200 41.50	4000	41.25
	4600	41.50	300 *41.25	300	*41.50
	2200	41.25	1000 41.00	900	*41.50
	300	*41.25	2200 41.50	500	*41.75
	1200	41.75			
Textile			500 7.90	6500	7.95
	500	*7.90	6000 7.90	4000	*7.95
	500	*8.00	3000 7.95	5000	8.00
Telephone			100 42.75	1200	43.00
	300	*42.75	500 43.25	1700	43.50
	200	*44.00	100 44.00		
Tram (Bearer)	£1			100	44.25
C. G. Omnibus			900 18.00	100	17.90
	200	*18.00	100 *18.10	400	18.10
	500	18.20	500 18.30		
S'hai Gas (Old)			400 16.80	300	16.60
	100	16.50	1300 16.60	100	*16.60
Lumber			1300 43.75	1300	43.50
	600	43.25	500 *44.00	600	44.00
	200	43.75	900 44.00	100	44.25
Metal			4100 27.50	800	*27.00
	5700	27.25	200 *27.25	300	*27.50
	9000	27.75	1000 28.00	3600	28.25
	200	*28.00	3300 28.50	600	*28.25
	600	*28.50	2100 28.75	700	*28.75
	500	*29.00	9600 29.00	100	29.25
	100	*29.25	100 29.25	200	*29.00
	1400	29.25	100 *29.50	600	29.50
	500	29.25	4400 29.75	5500	30.00
	600	*30.00	500 30.00	600	30.25
	2800	30.50	2200 30.75	1400	31.00
Kaiping				500	*41.75
Exploration			16,000 24.00	3500	*24.00
	9000	23.75	500 *23.75	500	*24.25
	9500	23.75	2500 23.50	2000	*23.50
	1000	*23.75	1500 *24.00	500	*23.75
	5500	24.00	2000 *24.25	3500	24.25
	1500	24.00	500 *24.25	500	24.25
Power (Pref)				200	129.50
Anglo Dutch			200 20.25	200	*20.00
	100	20.50	700 20.00	100	20.25
	100	19.90	100 19.80	1300	20.25
	100	*20.25	300 20.50	100	*20.50
	200	*20.25	700 20.25	800	20.50
	300	20.75			
Anglo Java			1400 41.00	200	*41.00
	1900	40.50	100 *40.75	400	*40.50
	200	*40.25	300 40.25	600	40.50
	100	*40.75	600 40.75	900	*41.00
	1800	41.00	900 41.25	100	*41.25
	100	*41.50	700 41.00	1100	40.75
	100	41.25	200 41.00	600	41.50
	800	41.25	300 41.50		
Batu Anam				1000	1.34
Chemor	X.D.		2000 2.30	1000	2.35
	1000	2.30			
Cheng			1000 *0.79	10000	0.80
Consolidated			1500 7.20	500	*7.20
Java Consolidated				2000	3.45
	3000	*3.45	1000 3.47½		
Kroewoek			2000 2.70	4000	2.72½
	2000	2.75	2000 2.80	1000	2.77½
	1000	*2.75	1000 2.77½		
Langkat			3900 27.50	1700	27.25
	100	*27.50	900 *27.75	3300	27.75
	300	*28.00	700 27.50	400	27.75
	1900	27.50	100 *27.75	1100	27.50
	800	27.75	1000 *27.75	300	28.00
	200	27.75			
Repah			X.D.	1000	1.42
Rubber Trust			500 9.80	1000	9.70
	1000	9.90	4000 9.95	500	10.00
	500	9.90	1500 9.95		
Samagaga			1000 1.64	1000	1.68
	1000	1.70			
Senawang			5000 1.52	1000	1.54
Kelantan			1000 0.93	7000	0.95
	3000	0.94	8000 0.93	1000	*0.93
Pahang	X.D.		1000 4.40	1000	4.40
	1000	4.50			
Sungala				500	7.00
Tanah Merah				1000	3.40
Tebong			5000 1.56	1000	1.54
	2000	1.56	400 1.58	4000	1.60
	2000	1.62	3000 1.60		
Ziangbe			300 23.75	600	24.00
	800	24.50	100 24.25	600	24.50
	200	24.75			
Power 5½% Debs.				2800	83.00
	1000	*83.25	6000 83.25		
Telephone 6% Debs.				8000	92.00

ODD LOTS

Power 5½% Debs.			200	*83.00
Rubber Trust			100	9.85
Wheelock			10	93.00
Samagaga			500	*1.66
Pahang			600	4.25
Tebong			200	1.62
Dockyards			67	32.50
Langkat			50	28.00
China Realty			100	*7.15
Dockyards			1	32.75
Exploration			300	*†23.50
S'hai Securities			250	4.85
Ewo Brewery	100	6.70	50	6.75
Textile	400	7.85	300	*7.85
	120 *8.00	100 7.90		
Wheelock			50	92.50

*—Direct Business.
†—Outport Business.

Ewo Cotton Mills Ltd. New Issue of Shares

In connection with the new issue of shares in Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., the general managers, announce that, before providing for depreciation on fixed assets, there is a balance of $10,901,031.97 standing at credit of Profit & Loss Account for the six months ended June 30, last, including the carry-forward of $1,229,597.33.

The new shares will rank for final dividend in exactly the same way and to the same extent as the existing ordinary shares in the Company.

China's Tax Revenue

Chungking, Nov. 13.

China's direct taxation system is yielding more revenue than the tax authorities had previously expected. By the end of October this year, direct taxation had brought in $76,402,867.84, although only $75,240,000 had been expected for the whole year.

The authorities now hope that the tax will yield between $85,000,000 and $100,000,000 by the end of the year.—Havas.

New York Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 14.

Irregularly firmer and fairly active conditions prevailed on Wall Street today, with fractional moves either way recorded. Continual profit taking and liquidation, in view of European uncertainties, depressed the market, though there was fair buying of recent favourities.

Operators, generally, were inclined to be cautious, despite continued favourable business news.

The turnover today amounted to 1,380,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	137.70	136.20	136.97	+0.36
20 Rails	30.44	30.12	30.29	+0.17
15 Utilit.	21.67	21.35	21.40	−0.26
40 Bonds	—	—	90.90	+0.12
1⅃ Commod.	—	—	57.78	+0.49

	Nov. 13	14		Nov. 13	14
Adams Exp	6⅜	6⅛	Lockheed	32⅛	32⅛
Alg Lud	24⅛	24⅛	Loew's	29¼	29¼
Allum Ltd	80	79½	Loft Inc	20	21
Allis Chal	37⅛	37⅛	Mack Trks	29¼	29½
Amer Can	92½	92½	Martin	35⅞	35
Am Cyan	35⅜	36	McK. & R	27	26⅜
Am For Pr	1⅛	1⅛	Mont Ward	40	40⅛
„ $7 pfd	16½	16	Mountain	3⅛	3⅛
Am Loco	17½	17½	Nat Avian	12½	12
Am Metal	*21	22½	Nat City B	*28	*28
Am Radtr	7⅛	7⅛	Nat Diay	†13⅜	14
Am R Mill	17⅛	17⅛	Nat Dist	21⅛	21⅛
Am Smelt	46⅛	47⅛	Nat Lead	19½	20
Am Sug	16⅛	16½	Nat P & L	7⅞	7⅞
Am T & T	167	166½	Nat Sup	7	7⅛
Am Tob B	73	72½	N Y Cent	15⅛	15⅜
Am Wtwrks	8⅛	8⅛	Nia gHud	3⅛	3⅛
Anaconda	28⅞	29⅛	N A Avian	19	19
Atchison	18⅜	18⅜	N Am Co	18	18
Avian Cpn	5⅛	5⅛	N Pacific	7⅛	7⅛
Bald Loco	17½	17½	Owens I G	50⅛	50⅛
Barber	11⅛	11⅛	Pac G & E	29	28⅞
Barns Oil	10⅛	10½	Pan A Air	18	17⅞
Balt & O	4⅛	4⅛	Packard	3⅜	3⅜
Bliss	15	15⅞	Paramount	9⅛	9⅛
Boeing	19⅛	20⅛	Penn R R	25⅛	25⅛
Beth Steel	89⅜	89⅜	P & R Coal	9⅛	*9⅛
Bendix	34	35⅛	Phil Pet	38⅛	39⅛
Borg War	21⅛	21⅛	P S of N J	31⅛	31
Briggs	26	25⅞	Pullman	26⅛	27
Budd Mfg	5⅞	6	Pure Oil	8	8⅛
Can Pac	4⅞	4⅜	Radio	5⅛	5⅛
Case J I	59⅞	59⅞	Reading	14⅜	*14⅜
Celanese	29⅛	29⅛	Rem Arms	*5⅛	5⅛
Chase N B	*33⅜	*33⅜	Rep Avian	5⅛	5⅛
Ches & O	43⅛	42⅞	Rep St	23⅛	23⅛
Chrysler	81⅛	82⅛	Rev C & B	12⅞	13⅛
Col G & E	5⅛	5⅛	Rey Tob B	34⅛	34⅛
Col Credit	33	32⅜	Safeway	42⅛	42⅞
Com & Sth	1	1	Schenley	11⅛	11
Cons Edis	25	24⅛	Sears Roeb	79⅛	79⅛
Cons Oil	6⅛	6⅛	Shell U Oil	10⅛	11
Cont Can	40	39⅜	Soc Vac	9⅞	10
Cont Oil	19⅛	20⅛	Sthrn Pac	9⅛	9⅛
Copld St	20⅛	20⅛	Sthrn Rly	23⅛	23⅞
Curtis Wr	10⅛	10⅛	Spicer	35⅛	35⅛
„ A	29⅛	29⅛	Std Brands	6⅞	6⅞
Deere & Co	21⅛	21⅛	Std G & E	1⅛	1⅛
Dist Cpn S	20	19⅜	Std Oil C	20	†20⅛
Douglas	85	85⅛	Std Oil N J	36⅛	†37⅛
Du Pont	169	169	Stone & W	7⅞	7⅞
E P Lead	11⅛	11⅛	Studebaker	9	9
E Mfg	35	35⅛	Swift Int	19⅛	19⅛
Elec A Lite	36⅛	36⅛	Technicor	9⅞	9⅞
Elec B & S	4⅛	4⅛	Tex Cpn	38⅛	39
„ $5 pfd	*59⅛	58⅞	Tex Gulf	37	36⅞
„ $6 pfd	*69	69	Timken	29⅛	29⅛
Elec P & L	3⅜	3⅜	Transamer	5⅛	5
Flintkote	16⅛	17⅛	Tw Cent P	6⅛	6⅛
Gen A Tr.	53⅞	54⅛	Un B & P	14⅛	13⅞
Gen Elec	34⅛	34⅛	Un Car	74⅛	74⅛
Gen Motor	†53⅜	52⅞	Un Pac	83	84
Gen Rly	16⅜	*16⅛	Un Air	46⅜	46⅜
Gen T & R	14⅜	15⅛	Un Air Lt	19	18⅜
Glidden Co	16⅛	16	Un Corp	1⅜	1⅜
Goodrich	15⅞	16⅛	„ $3 pfd	22⅜	23
„ $5 pfd	61	63⅛	Un Gas	1⅛	1
Goodyear	18⅜	†19⅛	Un G Imp	11	10⅞
Gt N I Ore	18	18⅛	U S Ind	23⅜	*22⅜
Gt N Rly	29	29⅜	U S Rub	23	25⅞
Gt W Sug	22	22⅛	„ 8% pfd	84⅜	89⅛
Grey Corp	12⅛	11⅛	U S Smelt	67	67⅛
Her Power	74	73⅛	U S Steel	74	74
Homestake	51⅞	51⅞	Vanadium	35⅛	35⅛
Int Nickel	28	28⅛	Vultee	*9	9⅛
Int Paper	17⅛	17⅛	Walworth	6⅛	6⅛
Int T & T	2⅛	2⅛	War Br Pic	3	3⅛
Kennecott	36	37⅛	West Elec	106⅛	106⅛
Lak F & M	*4	4⅛	Woodward	33⅜	33⅛
Libbey O F	46	47⅛			

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	55	54½
Balt. & Ohio "A"	37⅛	37⅜
Brazil (U.S. of) 8% 1941	15⅛	15¾
„ „ „ 6½% 1957	12½	13
Cities Serv. Pwr. & Lt.	93⅜	93½
Erie 5s 1967	17½	16¾
Int. Tel. & Tel.	26	25⅝
New England Gas & Elec.	68	68¼
Stern. Pacific Co.	38¾	39
Stand. Gas & Elec.	74½	73⅜

*Bid. †Ex Div.

Dow-Jones Summary

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Specialities advanced on the Stock Exchange today featuring a firm and active market, with leaders marking-time. Further inflation talk was circulated as the Commodity Price Index rose within a fraction of the year's highs. Traders bought preferreds, apparently believing that they will be the first group to benefit from continued business gains and also from favourable prospects for action in various dividend arrears. Oils benefited from the Dow-Jones analysis showing that 25 leading companies were paying $211,000,000 in cash dividends, compared with $194,585,935 last year. Anaconda Copper reported that their nine months net earnings were $2.79 per share, compared with $1.34 a year ago. Carloadings declined, but less than seasonally. Public construction contracts have reached the year's second best level, while total awards are 75 per cent. ahead of those of the preceding week. Rubber shares ruled strong on reports of large Government orders and rumours of a new tire price advance.

Stocks:—Today's action of the market continued to be favourable-indicating a renewed advance if no unfavourable news emanates from Berlin.

STATISTICS

	Week Ended 9/11	Week Ended 2/11
Electricity Output (Edison Electric Inst.'s) (kilowatt hour—000's omitted)	2,720,000	2,734,000
Car-loadings (Assoc. of Amer. Railroads') (cars)	778,000	795,000

DIVIDENDS

Pure Oil	$0.25

EARNINGS

Stock	Period	1940	1939
International Nickel	Qr. 30/9	$0.54	$0.57
Pacific Gas & Electric	Yr. 30/9	2.79	2.28

Cotton:—October consumption totalled 770,702 bales, a near record. Extensive price-fixing was featured in a strong market, with little inclination to sell at the advance.

Wheat:—The market was buoyant without special news although the strength of stocks, favourable war reports and some apprehension over the damage by storm contributed to the advance, which brought no evidence of relaxation in the holding movement.

Corn:—Increasing speculative buying was in evidence today on continued country holding, while there was also a broad cash demand. The belief continued to prevail that the division of the new crop into the loan when announced, despite a large surplus, will find industries facing difficulty in obtaining supplies.

Rubber:—The supply situation here is satisfactory, but the Far Eastern situation is disturbing as to the future. The market held very steady.

Hides:—A firm spot market, large potential demand and the strength of stocks found, ready response.

Sugar No. 4:—Ruled steadier on small new buying and smaller liquidation.

Fabrics from Seaweed

London, Nov. 15.

A new textile discovery by which seaweed can be turned into attractive fabrics for stockings, underwear and curtains has been announced by Professor Speakman of Leeds University.

Experiments have been extended over two years. The new seaweed fabrics, which are proof against fire and capable of being dyed to 41 shades, may be made up for the same purposes as ordinary rayon with the advantage that they are cheaper, wool used in making rayon is becoming increasingly difficult to obtain, whereas seaweed is plentiful.—British Official Wireless.

Free China Trade For Nine Months

Returns Show Favourable Balance of $84,247,000 According Statistics

Chungking, Nov. 13.

Free China's trade for the first nine months of this year showed a favourable balance of $84,247,000, according to statistics released here today.

Exports for this period amounted to $120,539,000, while imports totalled $35,292,000.

One reason for this favourable trade balance is that the Burma Road remained open for China's exports but was closed for a period of three months to her imports

Leading Ports

Mengtsz and Ningpo were the most active ports in free China as far as trade for the first nine months of the year is concerned.

As for the trade of free and occupied China, imports amounted to $1,558,606,000 against exports of $1,447,521,000, showing an unfavourable balance of $111,085,000.

Shanghai was again the busiest port in China, importing $615,197,000 worth of goods and exporting $984,192,000, Tientsin was second with imports of $490,279,000 and exports of $105,391,000.

Japanese Exports

Japan led the countries exporting goods to China with $366,840,000 or 23.54 per cent. Her exports were confined to the occupied areas of China.

The United States was second with $334,189,000, or 21,44 per cent.

U.S. Imports

The United States led the countries importing from China with $414,404,000, or 28.63 per cent. Last year for the same period, China sold only $122,666,000 worth of goods to America.

Hongkong was the chief port through which exports from free China passed, no less than $287,508,000 worth of goods being shipped from there.—Havas.

London Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Nov. 14.

Conditions on the London Stock Exchange were cheerful today, with the recent upward trend accentuated by the Navy's Mediterranean success. Industrials showed widespread gains, Kaffirs continued to meet with support and oils attracted more attention. Rubber and tin shares were in demand at higher levels.

Among foreign bonds, South Americans were again prominent. —Reuter.

	Nov. 13	14
U.K. LOANS		
3½% War Loan, (Red.)	£101⅝	101⅝
3% Defence Loan	102	101⅞
CHINESE LOANS		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	32	32
4½% Anglo-French Loan	35	35
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	13	13
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	19	19
8% Stg. Notes 1925	8	8
5% Honan Rly. 1905	10	10
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	11	11
5% „ „ „ (Ger. Is.)	10	10
7% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	8	8
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	11	11
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	8	8
5% „ „ G.	8	8
5% „ „ (Supl Loan) B.	8	8
5% „ „ (Supl. Loan) G.	8	8
5% Canton Kowloon Rly.	8	8
5% Chinese Imp. Rly.	44	44
JAPANESE BONDS		
6% Sterling Loan, 1924	25½	25½
BANKS AND INSURANCE		
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	7⅞	7¼
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	65	66
„ „ „ (Con. Reg.)	71 N	72 N
Mercantile Bank of India	10¼	10¼
National Bank of India	27	27
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	20	20
COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIALS		
Bristol Aeroplane	9/9	10/3
B'tish American Tobacco	90/-	90/7½
Dunlop Rubber	32/6	33/3
Imp. Chem. Industries	29/9	29/10½
United Steel	21/-	21/7½
Woolworths	59/9	60/3
MINES		
Chinese Eng. & Min.	14/-	14/-
Chosen Corp.	4/-	4/-
Marsman Investments	7/6	7/6
Pekin-Syndicate	2/-	2/-
Sub-Nigel	167/6	177/6
Western Holdings	9/3	9/3
MISCELLANEOUS		
Great Western Rly.	35¾	35¾
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	14/4½	15/-
London, Midland & Scot.	15⅛	15⅜
S'hai Elec. Construction	15/-	15/-
S'hai Waterworks "A"	13½	13½
Shell Transport & Trad.	35/7½	36/3

New York Stocks Firm

New York, Nov. 14.

The Stock Exchange was firm today with active trading. Some special issues rose two to four points but averages closed only fractionally higher for industrial and railways groups while utilities declined fractionally.

Selective buying has been the feature of the market in recent sessions. Experts expect this type of buying to continue as long as favourable earning reports and dividend declarations are forthcoming. However, experts are not sure of themselves in predicting the future of leading stocks.

One analyst pointed out that the market has not made an average percentage gain which usually follows an election. He noted, however, that according to precedent, recovery is in the upper third and therefore it is dangerous for those who are building up holdings in stocks. The average advances in preferred stocks recently probably were about two points but no official index has been prepared.—United Press.

U.S. Oil Production Up

New York, Nov. 14.

The American Petroleum Institute yesterday announced that oil production last week averaged 3,584,200 barrels daily.

The total was 104,250 barrels daily more than the preceding week's production but 213,000 barrels daily less than production for the corresponding week in 1939.—United Press.

Brokers Loans

New York, Nov. 14.

The Federal Reserve System announced today that brokerage loans last week totalled $320,000,000 off $6,000,000 compared to the previous week total and off $174,000,000 from the corresponding week in 1939.—United Press.

U. S. Commodities

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 14.

The cotton market early advanced on trade and speculative buying, especially of distants, and shorts covering. Later, prices further hardened on increased foreign and domestic buying and renewed mill support. Finally, the market closed firm on a favourable "spot" demand, with quotations ranging from 9 to 14 points up.

Prices in the rubber market today opened moderately higher on better cables, some outside buying and a covering demand. Later, profit taking and liquidation pared earlier gains. At the close, quotations ranged from 1 point up to 3 points down.

Wheat futures in Chicago today advanced on mill and bull support, continued firm Winnipeg advices, shorts covering and a tightening cash position. At the final bell, gains of 1⅝ to 1⅞ cents were recorded.

New York Cotton		New York Rubber	
Dec.	9.95-95 +09		
Jan.	9.88 N. +11	Dec.	21.05 B +01
Mar.	9.96-96 +09	Jan.	20.90 B unch.
May	9.90-90 +09

Thailand, French Dispute Unsolved

Indo-China Authorities Maintain Calm Attitude; Border Incidents

Hanoi, Nov. 14.

Relations between France and Thailand remain stationary but, although the situation is not an extremely serious one, the authorities in Indo-China are maintaining the greatest vigilance and have taken measures to face any eventuality, competent quarters here stated today, commenting on the situation between France and Siam.

These circles stressed that calm prevails in Indo-China districts near the Thailand border, and pointed out that only recently the populations of Cambodia and Laos stressed their loyalty to France and their confidence in her.

Summing up recent developments, these quarters recalled that in September last the Thai Government asked Indo-China to cede certain territories in Laos situated on the right bank of the Mekong River.

French Determination

In reply, the French Government, determined to defend the territorial integrity of Indo-China, rejected the demands and insisted upon an exchange of the instruments of ratification of the Franco-Siamese non-aggression treaty signed in Bangkok on June 13, 1940.

Towards the end of September, the Thai Government reiterated its demands in a new demarche and the French Government maintained its stand.

This attitude resulted in a violent anti-French press campaign being unleashed in Thailand and the despatch of Siamese troops to the Indo-China border. Although several border incidents occured on the Laos and Cambodia borders, they were all localized.—Havas.

Ishizawa Leaves for Batavia Post

Kobe, Nov. 15.

Mr. Yutaka Ishizawa, newly-appointed Japanese Consul-General at Batavia, accompanied by his family and Mr. Tanun Kotani, Japanese Consul at Batavia, left here this morning for his new post.—Domei.

U.S. China Relief Drive

New York, Nov. 15.

A nationwide drive to raise $1,000,000 for the relief of war-stricken Chinese was opened last night by the newly-formed China Emergency Relief Committee headed by Pearl Buck, the well known authoress, with Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt as Honorary Chairman.

For part of the opening ceremonies the Committee had hoped to have Madame Chiang Kai-shek speak on a short-wave broadcast from Hongkong, but the National Broadcasting Corporation was unable to make contact.—Reuter.

Indo-China, Japan Talks Continue

Future Trade Exchanges Discussed

Hanoi, Nov. 14.

In an atmosphere of confidence and mutual understanding, several conversations have taken place here between the Japanese Economic Mission and a group of representatives of the Indo-China Government, headed by M. Cousin, Inspector of Finance and Director of Financial Control, authorized quarters revealed here today.

The main object of the conversations is to specify the possibilities of future trade exchanges between Japan and Indo-China in order to develop the exports of both countries, while at the same time legitimately protecting the interests of local industry and craftsmanship.

The exchanges of views being held at present are the prelude to future negotiations which will take place in Tokyo with the object of concluding a trade agreement between Japan and Indo-China.

A French delegation will leave shortly for Japan and will be headed by M. Robin, former Governor-General of Indo-China. He will be assisted by several experts from France and by an Indo-Chinese mission under M. Cousin, which will include qualified financial experts of the Government-General and representatives of Indo-Chinese business circles.—Havas.

Chinese Driven from Indo-China

French Suffer No Losses In Border Engagement

Hongkong, Nov. 15.

Well-equipped Chinese forces were driven off by French troops in the Hajiang frontier sector of French Indo-China on November 11 when the Chinese were said to have attacked a number of Indo-China villages. Japanese reports from Hanoi said today.

The Japanese reports said that the alleged Franco-Chinese clash had been announced in an official French communique issued in Hanoi. The French authorities in Hanoi, it was recalled, have given the Japanese almost exclusive news reporting rights in Indo-China.

French forces which clashed with the Chinese suffered no losses, the Japanese reports said. The clashes were said to have occurred about 40 miles north-east of Hajiang in the third Tongking war district.—United Press.

Japanese Evacuees Due

Carrying aboard the last batch of Japanese evacuees from the war-stricken Europe, the N.Y.K. liner Suwa Maru will arrive here on November 25 from Singapore, the "Tairiku Shimpo" reported yesterday.

Chinese Forces Enter Yamchow

No Japanese Left in S.W. Kwangtung, Kwangsi; Fall Of Ichang Expected Soon

Chungking, Nov. 15.

Chinese military quarters officially announced today that Chinese troops made a formal entry into Yamchow, coastal town on Tongking Bay, yesterday morning, marking the complete withdrawal of Japanese troops from Kwangsi province and south-east Kwangtung.

It is stated that Japanese troops at Yamchow boarded transports on the night of November 13, in the vicinity of Lungmenkang, from where they sailed out to sea.

In southern Honan, Chinese troops entered Loshan, east of Sinyang, on November 7. Well-informed quarters express the opinion the Japanese may shortly evacuate Ichang, where they have already abandoned the use of the air-field, which is under constant Chinese artillery fire, according to Chinese reports.

Concerning recent attacks by Japanese troops at Ichang on Chinese positions in the outskirts of the city, military circles here state the Japanese are probably fighting an action to cover their withdrawal, since to hold Ichang the Japanese must keep the outer defences of the Yangtze port which, however, are being given up one after another.

Three More Years

The Chinese authorities are making preparations for continued long-term warfare against Japan. It is learned that the Chinese Government is busily making plans for at least three more years' resistance, carefully conserving foodstuffs and military supplies.

Rumours of difficulties in Szechuen and differences between the Kuomintang and the Communists were discredited by a high Chinese official here today. The new Governor, General Chang Chun, is a high official in the Central Government and his appointment has been enthusiastically welcomed by the Szechuen populace and leaders.

The official disclosed to Reuters that in accordance with an agreement reached with the Central Government Communist troops had been ordered to move to designated positions.—Reuter.

New Japanese Offensive

With Japanese Forces in North China, Nov. 15.

Aided by aircraft, Japanese army units launched a fierce offensive against 20,000 Chinese communist troops in the Takang mountains on the Shansi-Charhar-Hopeh border on November 10 which fell on the first day of celebration marking the 26th centennial of the founding of the Japanese Empire, field despatches reaching here today reported.

In a sweeping two-column movement, Japanese forces had already established themselves in strategic positions for their final movement to encircle Chinese Communist troops, field despatches disclosed.—Domei.

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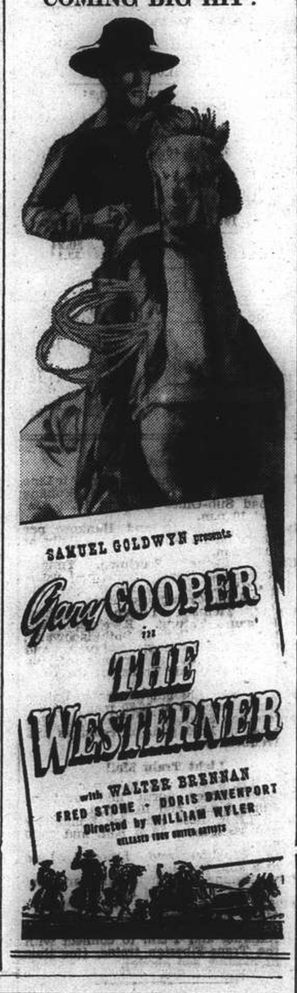

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	At Cathedral	At Siccawei
Temperature yesterday	min. 49.0 max. 69.0	min. 43.5 max. 71.6
„ same date last year	min. 48.0 max. 63.0	min. 47.3 max. 63.7

NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS

SHANGHAI, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1940 (17th day of 10th moon)

AIR AND OCEAN MAILS

Pan American Airways Service per steamer on Nov. 21, at 9 a.m. for registered and at 10 a.m. for ordinary due San Francisco on Dec. 3. Air mails for Europe may be sent by this service to U.S.A. for connection with the P.A.A. Trans-Atlantic Air Service.

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To-day's Events $4 per line, which includes all insertions till date of event.

BIRTH

GIBSON.—On November 15, 1940, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. J. GIBSON, a daughter. -7770

DEATHS

LEE-JONES.—On October 17, 1940, at Hobart, Tasmania, REGINALD WYNNE LEE-JONES, only son of J. W. Lee-Jones, Esq., late of H.B.M. Supreme Court, Hongkong, and brother of Mrs. Alan Wheen. 12547

OZORIO.—On Friday, November 15, 1940, at the Shanghai General Hospital, FRANCISCO XAVIER (CHIQUITING) OZORIO, aged 67 years, the dearly-beloved father of Lily, Dolly, Julia, Johnny, Willie and Alvaro. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Requiem Mass will be celebrated at the Church of Christ The King, 235 Rue Bourgeat, on Monday, November 18, at 8 a.m., to be followed by interment at the Bubbling Well Cemetery, at 4 p.m. (Hongkong, Macao and Japan papers please copy.) 12543

IN MEMORIAM

PISAREVSKY.—In loving memory of G. M. PISAREVSKY, who passed away on November 16, 1939.—Always remembered by his wife. -7725

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Dr. and Mrs. E. G. GAUNTLETT wish to thank their numerous friends for their wonderful help and sympathy in their great sorrow and ask them to kindly accept this temporary acknowledgment. 12546

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TO-DAY'S EVENTS

NOVEMBER

16 B.R.A. Postage Stamp Auction for benefit of War Funds, Union Jack Club, 39 Myburgh Road, at 5.30

16 Suez Canal opened (1869)

16 Yale-in-China Mission founded (1906)

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the estate of Johannes Molland, a Norwegian Master Mariner, who died at Tsingtao on November 10, 1940, are hereby requested to send in particulars thereof in writing to the Royal Norwegian Consulate-General, 2 Peking Road, Shanghai, on or before February 16, 1941. Any claim received after this date will be considered null and void.

Any persons indebted to the said estate should make payment to this Consulate-General within the aforesaid time-limit.

Royal Norwegian Consulate General,

T. KNUDTZON,
Consul-General.

Shanghai, November 16, 1940. 12540

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. S. Rosenblum has notified the undersigned that the following Delivery Order has been lost:—

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from December 2 to December 7, 1940, both days inclusive.

Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd.,
General Managers

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Shanghai, November 15, 1940. 12553

EWO COTTON MILLS, LTD.

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ISSUE OF 337,500 NEW ORDINARY SHARES

The General Managers of Ewo Cotton Mills, Limited, with the approval of the Consulting Committee, have decided to issue 337,500 new shares of a par value of Tls. 5 at an issue price of $26 per share. These new shares will be offered to Shareholders on the register on December 7, 1940, in the proportion of one new share to four existing shares. The latest dates for acceptance of the new shares and payment of the issued price by Shareholders are as follows:—

(a) In the case of Shareholders resident in Shanghai on or before December 20, 1940.

(b) In the case of Shareholders resident in Hongkong and elsewhere in the Far East other than in Shanghai on or before December 27, 1940.

(c) In the case of Shareholders not resident in the Far East on or before February 28, 1941.

Transfer Books will be closed from December 2 to December 7 both days inclusive.

Further details will be circularised to all Shareholders in the course of the next few days.

Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd.,
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Shanghai, November 15, 1940. 12552

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of Section 224 of the Hongkong Companies Ordinance No. 39, 1932, a Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held in the Board Room of Messrs. Arnhold & Co. Ltd., Sassoon House, Shanghai, on Wednesday, December 18, 1940, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having the Liquidators' Account, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted during the past year, laid before the Meeting and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.

I. E. ROBERTS, A.C.A.,
T. D. DRYSDALE,
Liquidators

Shanghai, November 14, 1940. 12554

SHANGHAI RACE CLUB

NOTICE

ARRIVAL OF AUSTRALIAN PONIES FOR 1941 RACING

Members and Friends are informed that the above Ponies will be paraded on the Grass Course at 11 a.m. TO-MORROW.

By Order of the Stewards,

A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary.

Shanghai Race Club. 12539

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Directors have declared an Interim Dividend for the year ending December 31, 1940, at the rate of Three Dollar Cents Local Currency per share to be paid to Shareholders on record on Saturday, November 30, 1940.

The Transfer Books and Share Register of the Company will be closed from November 23 to November 30, 1940, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

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Shanghai, November 8, 1940. 12396

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estimates that there are fewer steeplechase jockeys than formerly. There has, it appears, been a considerable falling-off. However, Personal Accident insurance seems as popular as ever amongst the riding fraternity.

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Shanghai, 16th day of November 1940. 12556

WILLIAM JOHN MILNE

Deceased

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925 that all persons having claims or demands upon or against the Estate of WILLIAM JOHN MILNE, late of No. 91 Peking Road, Shanghai in China, deceased, who died at Shanghai aforesaid on the 4th day of October 1940, Probate of whose Will was on the 30th day of October 1940 granted by His Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court for China at Shanghai to EUPHEMIA McARTHUR MILNE the Sole Executrix named in the said Will, and who have not already done so, are hereby requested to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of January 1941. And that after such date the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice, and she will not be answerable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.

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Shanghai, November 16, 1940. 12541

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Meteorological Reports	Nov. 14 16.00	Nov. 14 21.00	Nov. 15 4.00	Nov. 15 9.00
Barometer (inches)	30.30	30.33	30.31	30.38
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.11	+0.09	+0.02	+0.01
at 32 F. („ „ 12 hrs.)	+0.01	—0.04	+0.01	+0.55
Wind (direction)	E	E	E	E
„ (miles per hour)	6.2	6.8	8.1	5.6
Temperature (Fahr.)	55.9°	46.0°	46°4'	57.9°
Humidity (per cent)	44	73	87	73
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	0	0	0	0
Rainfall (inches)	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report Nov. 14	Mean 1940	24 hrs. variation	67 years average
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	30.32	+0.10	30.24
Temp. min. 35.6° Max. 64.0°	49.8°	+0.8°	53.1°
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	42.44	—	42.50

Time and Tide	16/11	17/11	18/11	19/11	20/11	21/11	22/11
Sun rises at Shanghai	6.23	6.23	6.24	6.25	6.26	6.26	6.27
Sun sets at Shanghai	16.56	16.55	16.55	16.55	16.54	16.54	16.53
Moon rises at Shanghai	18.01	18.48	19.39	20.34	21.31	22.30	23.31
Moon sets at Shanghai	7.03	7.56	8.48	9.37	10.24	11.09	11.51
Flood makes Shai. (day)	11.15	11.32	11.50	12.00	12.45	13.29	14.40
Ebb makes Shai. (day)	15.55	16.17	16.40	17.15	18.01	6.05	6.57
L.W. W'sung Bar (day)	12.24	12.57	13.31	14.26	14.58	15.02	16.53
Ht. above L.W. (feet)	9.50	8.70	7.40	7.40	7.08	6.20	6.22

THE WEATHER

(See top of page, left)

State on the morning of the 14th:—Normal and steady pressure over China: unsteady over Japan. North-westerly to north-easterly winds along the China Coast. Fine and cold weather in China.

State on the morning of the 15th:—Fine and cold weather. East-south-easterly breezes. High and steady pressure.—Siccawei Observatory.

POST OFFICE NOTICES

(See top of page, right)

The following times apply to the Head Post office Szechuen Road Bridge, Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is needed.

SATURDAY, November 16.	Reg.	Ord.
Weihaiwei Chefoo Tientsin	*20.00	8.00
Shenkiamen and Tinghai	9.30	10.00
Hongkong and Canton	12.00	12.30
Nantung	18.30	19.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00
Foochow	x 18.30	19.00
Japan Korea and Formosa via Nagasaki	19.30	20.00
Tsingtao and Dairen	20.00	20.00
SUNDAY, November 17.		
Shenkiamen and Tinghai	9.30	10.00
Nantung	18.30	19.00
Japan Korea and Formosa via Nagasaki	19.00	19.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00
MONDAY, November 18.		
Aust. N.Z. Manila S.S. India & Suez (via Hongkong)	14.30	16.00
Hongkong and Canton	15.30	16.00
Nantung	18.30	19.00
Kiangpei offices south and east of Jukao	18.30	19.00

* The night before

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Canton per Shanghai-Canton Air Line close at 10.30 p.m. on Sundays and Wednesdays.

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Via S.H.N.R. 12.30 p.m. for Sungkiang and Hangchow 12.30 p.m. and 10.30 p.m.

North Pinghan and Lunghai Line at 9 a.m. and 10.30 p.m.

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Remark: For Europe via Siberia:—Mails for Europe and U.S.S.R. via Siberia despatched per trains via Nanking and Tientsin to connect with the Trans-Siberian trains, (for time of closing, see above).

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